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FIRST EDITION.

MIDNIGHT.

FROM EUROPE.

THE ASSEMBLY ORGANIZED!

Bright Hopes for the Orleanists!

TRIUMPHAL ENTRY INTO PARIS!

Peace Hoped For!

WAR PREPARED FOR!

New Contributions Levied!

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

THE WAR.

THE GERMANS TO ENTER PARIS.

VERSAILLES, February 13.—The German army will make a triumphal entry into Paris at noon, the 16th inst. The Emperor will proceed to the Tuilleries, and, after partaking of lunch, will review the army. In case the Tuilleries should not be in a fit condition for the reception of the Emperor, he will occupy the Palace of Elysees. The Emperor will return to Berlin the last of February.

[Special to N. Y. Herald.]

PROGRAMME OF THE ENTRY.

VERSAILLES, February 13.—Noon—On the 16th, at noon, the Emperor will enter Paris by train from Versailles taking horse at Paris station and proceeding to the Tuilleries where he will lunch and hold court. General officers of the army will then inspect the army of investment, which will march with bands playing and colors flying along the line already indicated. His Majesty will then return to Versailles, where he will sleep. On the two following days he will re-visit the Tuilleries, and then return to Germany, if nothing occurs during the rest of the week or month. If it is impossible to prepare the Tuilleries for the Emperor's reception, his majesty will put up at the Champs Elysees. All the troops before Paris have been fully reinforced to the utmost war strength.

DUBLIN, February 13.—The Prussian Cross Gazette judges from the result of the elections in France that the resumption of the war is not to be expected, and thinks there is scarcely a doubt that the armistice will be prolonged.

GERMANS POSSESS THE FRENCH ARMS.

A Versailles correspondent of the Times telegraphs on the 12th that the delivery of arms to the Germans is completed. The Germans are destroying the French guns which prove to be worthless on account of the removal of portions of the breech loading apparatus.

TRAINS STOPPED BY MISTAKE.

The postal and relief trains from London which were recently stopped by the Germans under mistake, were immediately released in pursuance of orders from headquarters.

COMMITTEE ON UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

A commission, numbering four Germans and three Frenchmen, is sitting at Versailles to arrange the details unfinished at the time of the Convention of January 28th, for the capitulation of Paris.

THE PEACE QUESTION IN ENGLAND.

LONDON, February 12.—Copies of the correspondence relating to the war to be submitted to Parliament show that Favre's party were always willing to conclude peace on any terms which did not include the cession of territory, and that Germany pursued war for territory. England has been continually urging peace on Favre's terms.

THE STAR OF ORLEANS IN THE ASCENDANT.

The Orleanists are confident that Count de Paris will be King of France in a few weeks, and the Government will be able to dispatch 150,000 men immediately in case of war.

THE LATE SHIPWRECK.

LONDON, February 13.—Private letters from Cherbourg express the opinion that the loss of life on the steam transport Le Cerf, which was wrecked a few days ago off La Hague, was greatly exaggerated.

CONTRIBUTION LEVIED.

The Prussians have levied a war contribution of one hundred thousand francs upon the inhabitants of St. Germain.

PROLONGATION OF THE ARMISTICE.

It is reported that the armistice has been prolonged until the 28th inst.

The French Government has ceased buying provisions for Paris.

MORE FORCED LOANS.

A dispatch from Dieppe of the 12th says the Germans imposed a contribution of one million francs on that city and twenty-two millions francs on each adjacent village, all of which must be paid by the 14th. The authorities are unable to comply with the demand, having paid large amounts on previous contributions. The Department of the Seine in Ferieure are said to have already paid twenty-five millions francs to the Germans.

PEACE HOPED FOR, BUT WAR PREPARED FOR.

The correspondent of the Times, at Berlin, telegraphs to the evening edition of that paper that it is confidently expected at headquarters that peace will shortly be concluded, nevertheless military and financial preparations continue.

PRUSSIA WANTS A LITTLE CASH.

The Prussian Parliament has been asked to advance fifty million thalers to the Empire, which is to be refunded by the Parliament of Germany.

INFORMAL MEETING OF THE FRENCH ASSEMBLY.

BORDEAUX, February 13.—The French Assembly will to-day hold only a preparatory sitting for the purpose of ascertaining the number of members in attendance and of fixing a day for the first public session.

A later dispatch says that at this meeting about three hundred deputies were present. The session was formally opened and Secretaries appointed.

Favre has arrived in Bordeaux, and Garibaldi is momentarily expected.

RUSH FOR OFFICE.

LONDON, February 13.—A dispatch from Paris says that there are two hundred candidates for the Assembly to be balloted for at the elections in that city, and that counting votes is therefore necessarily very slow. It was thought that so many votes were cast [illegible] that a second election will have to be held.

Provisions in immense quantities are continually arriving, and the soldiers are used in unloading trains.

BELGIUM'S DONATION.

The King of Belgium has given ten thousand francs towards revictualing Paris. [illegible] has resigned his position in the French army. Prince Napoleon is in Brussels.

MONUMENT TO VON WERDER.

CARLSRUHE, February 13.—The city of Baden have resolved to erect a monument in honor of Gen. Von Werder, whose defeat of General Bourbaki saved Germany from French invasion.

BORDEAUX, February 13.—The result of the elections in twenty Departments is still [illegible]

[illegible]

LONDON, February 13.—A controversy has arisen between Turkey and Greece, respecting the mode in which Greek troops have pursued brigands over the frontier into Turkish Territory. Thus far there are no symptoms more than a war of words.

[illegible]

It has been ascertained that only ninety-eight men were lost by the shipwreck of the transport Le Cerf.

The Germans have imposed a contribution of [illegible] francs on the town of Lille. [illegible] continue in the Departments of Jura and Doubs the French refusing to accept the armistice.

[illegible]

Garibaldi declines a seat in the Assembly.

ENGLAND.

LONDON, February 13.—The steamship Cuba, which sailed from Liverpool on the 11th, had on board the Earl De Grey, Lord Tenterden, Montague Bernard and Viscount Goderich, of the Anglo-American Claims Commission, and a number of diplomatic attendants.

FOUNDERED AT SEA.

A telegram from Bombay says the steamer General Outram, from Cochin, bound to Bombay, foundered in a cyclone in the Indian Ocean, and fifty three lives were lost.

THE SUFFRAGE QUESTION.

LONDON, February 13.—The statement in the Observer that the Right Hon. Wm. E. Forster intends to propose a compromise upon the question of the ballot, whereby it will be made optional with the retiring officer of any constituency to determine by means of the ballot whether the ballot is desired, is denied upon authority.

AUSTRIA.

OVERFLOWED.

VIENNA, February 13.—The overflow of the Danube has inundated the suburbs of Vienna, [illegible]. There is still danger of another rise in the river, and further destruction of property.

ITALY.

THE VATICAN.

FLORENCE, February 13.—The Italian Parliament declared the Museums and galleries of the Vatican to be national property. The measure was objected to by the Ministry.

MARINE NEWS.

PORTLAND, February 13.—Arrived, steamer Caledonian, from Glasgow.

BOSTON, February 13.—Arrived, steamer Calabria, from Liverpool.

LONDON, February 13.—Steamship Holsatia, from New York, arrived at Plymouth on Sunday; also the steamship Britannia, from New York.

NEW YORK CITY.

Death of Miss Alice Carey, the Poetess—The Counterfeit Greenback Swindling Game Blocked—Fenianism—Improved Tone of Government Securities—Spain to Settle American Claims Growing out of Cuban Troubles—Water Famine in Brooklyn—Result of the Crispin Strike, &c., &c.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

NEW YORK, February 12, 1871.

DEATH OF ALICE CAREY.

Miss Alice Carey, the well-known poetess, died in this city yesterday morning, aged fifty years. Miss Carey had been an invalid for many years, and the decease to which she finally succumbed was her constant companion for eighteen months, during most of which time her suffering was very severe. In spite of this, however, her contributions to the press were frequent, containg no hint or favor of illness.

THE COUNTERFEIT GREENBACK SWINDLE.

The American Merchants' Union Express Company has refused to deliver packages for the sawdust counterfeit greenback scoundrels. The United States, and Adams' Express Companies will probably take similar action, which it is thought will put a stop to this rascality.

CATHOLIC PRIEST SUSPENDED.

Rev. Thomas Farrell, for fifteen years past of St. Joseph's Church, this city, is removed by Bishop McCloskey. The cause is writing a letter to the Italian Unity meeting of this city, expressing sentiments in favor of civil and religious liberty over the world, and dissenting from the use of foreign troops in any part of Italy. Father Farrell was previously objectionable, it is stated, because of his defined Republican principles. A committee of the church is laboring to have him restored.

INTERESTING LIFE INSURANCE CASE.

In the case of Elizabeth R. Coffey against the Home Life Insurance Company, which was a suit brought in the Superior Court on a policy of five thousand dollars on the life of plaintiff's husband, which the company refused to pay on the ground of alleged suicide, the jury rendered a verdict for the plaintiff for the full amount.

FENIANISM.

The United Irishmen of this city and the Celtic Club of Washington have signified their willingness to co-operate with the Fenian exiles in advancing the Irish national interest. The plan of a convention is not approved, and it is proposed that the exiles at once assume the dictatorship of such societies as are willing to unite under their auspices.

GOVERNMENT FINANCES.

The World's financial article, of this morning, says that the appointment of a high commission by the United States and Great Britain to settle the Alabama claims and other questions at issue between the two nations, has had the effect of giving an improved tone to the confidence in financial circles.

RESULTS OF THE CRISPIN STRIKE.

Shoe manufacturers, who state they are unable to meet the demands of the Crispins and still do justice to themselves, have necessarily been compelled to discharge the majority of their workmen, and confine themselves to the manufacture only of such goods as they have immediate demand for.

THE AMERICAN COLONIZATION SOCIETY

last evening held its annual meeting. Rev. Dr. Orcutt read the annual report, showing that the average number of emigrants colonized yearly by the Society was four hundred and thirty-one.

PEACE DEMONSTRATION.

At a meeting of German citizens held to-night, a committee was appointed to make the necessary arrangements for holding a grand peace demonstration and festival, as soon as peace was declared between Germany and France.

AN ICE BRIDGE.

The East River is again blockaded up with ice at the Fulton ferry, and thousands are crossing the river on foot at this point. Ferry boats are unable to make their regular crossings, and several tug boats and steamers are stuck fast in the ice.

DEATH OF AN OLD PUBLIC SERVANT.

Assistant-Postmaster Strong died suddenly about 11 o'clock last night from heart disease. He occupied the position above named since 1822, with the exception of two years.

MURDERER REPRIEVED.

Governor Hoffman has granted a reprieve of three weeks to the negro Jno. Thomas, sentenced to be hanged on Friday next at the Toombs for the murder of the negro Walter Johnson.

FRENCH RELIEF FUND.

Subscriptions for the Relief Fund foot up $60,000.

A WATER FAMINE IN BROOKLYN.

NEW YORK, February 14.—Brooklyn is threatened with a water famine.

THE RIVERS.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

CINCINNATI, February 13.—River 14 feet. Business very dull. Arrived—Annie Lawrie, from Kanawha; Dove No. 2, from Kentucky river. Departed—Juniata for Pittsburgh.

VICKSBURG, February 13.—Up—Continental, Liberty No. 4, and barges. Nick Longworth, Marble City, Bowen, and Richmond. Wind rising; weather cloudy and cool.

CAIRO, February 13.—Talisman, Nashville packet at 1 P. M.; Jno. Kyle, St. Louis for New Orleans at 10; Idlewild, Evansville packet at 10; Champion, Memphis to Cincinnati at 1 A. M.; City of Vicksburg, Vicksburg to St. Louis at 4; Grand Tower, Memphis to St. Louis at 5; Carrie V. Kountz, Louisville to St. Louis at 5; St. Joseph, St. Louis to Memphis at 9; Argonaut No. 2, Tennessee river to St. Louis at 9; Jas. Gilmore, St. Louis to Cairo, at 10; W. H. Brown, Louisville to St. Louis, at 11; Columbia, St. Louis to Arkansas river, at 1 P. M.; Belle St. Louis, St. Louis to Vicksburg, at 3; Bon Accord, Mound City to St. Louis, at 3; Mary Alice, for St. Louis, at 5. The Henry Ames is badly aground below Hickman. River fallen twelve inches. Weather cloudy; mercury twenty-eight degrees. Kate Putnam, St. Louis to Cincinnati, at 8 P. M.

NASHVILLE, February 13.—River rising, with six and a half feet water on Harpeth Shoals. Weather cold, with a slight fall of snow. Arrived—Tyrone from Cairo. Departed—Tyrone for Cairo.

LOUISVILLE, February 13.—Weather cloudy and cold. Mercury 30. River still falling, with four feet six inches in Indiana Chute and six feet ten inches in the canal. Freights scarce. Arrived—J. W. Garrett from Cincinnati; Indiana City, Quincy to New Orleans. Departed—J. W. Garrett and barges for New Orleans. The Petrel and Pomeroy passed with nine barges of salt for St. Louis. For New Orleans to-morrow—Indiana and Kate Kinney.

MEMPHIS, February 13.—Cloudy and cold. Fall of 10 inches. Up late last night Great Republic, city of Cairo, Dexter, Glencoe; to-day Bell of Memphis. Down last night Potomac, H. M. Shreve; to-day Virginia, Mary Boyd, Olive Branch, Edenburg.

NEW ORLEANS, February 13.—Arrived McDonald and barges, Imperial and barges, H. C. Yager. Departed—James Howard, Atlantic and barges, McDonald.

ST. LOUIS, February 13.—Arrived—Sallie, from Arkansas river; Jas. Gilmore, from Cairo; Ida Stockdale. Departed—Jas. Gilmore, for Ohio river. River falling rapidly. Weather cloudy and warmer. Considerable ice running.

CANADA.

Immigration to be Encouraged—Help to Small Settlers—Fire in Hamilton.

[By Telegraph to Pittsburgh Gazette.]

TORONTO, ONT., February 13.—The province of Ontario has voted $20,000 to encourage immigration, and $20,000 to build houses and clear from three to five acres on a number of free government lots. The proposition is intended more particularly to meet the requirements of the new settlers, who may have two or three hundred dollars, and be willing to pay a moderate sum cash down, in order to obtain immediate shelter for their families, and secure a crop of potatoes and other vegetables as a supply for their first winter.

HAMILTON, ONT., February 13.—A fire broke out this morning at a wholesale saddler's in Lester's block, James street. The whole block was in great danger for a time, but the fire was confined to the building. The adjoining property was slightly damaged. The stock was valued at $30,000. Insured for $20,000. Damage to the building $4,000, insured.

POTTSVILLE.

The Mining Troubles.

[By Telegraph to Pittsburgh Gazette.]

POTTSVILLE, February 13.—A large number of coal operators were present at a meeting to-day, which was held with closed doors. The utmost anxiety exists in business circles as to what the result will be. The operators are not anxious to resume work, the market being over stocked. It is generally conceded that they cannot hold out much longer. But few mines will resume work on the 15th. The operators are unwilling to pay the rates on the basis of last fall. Much suffering exists among miners' families. The community sympathize with them. They are willing to work but are prevented by the so-called Working Men's Benevolent Association.

MEMPHIS.

Steamboat Accident—Suit About Slaves.

[By Telegraph to Pittsburgh Gazette.]

MEMPHIS, February 13.—The cross pipe of the larboard boiler of the steamer Little Rock exploded this evening as she was starting out. No one hurt. The Dardonville went to the rescue and brought her back to the landing and the damage was repaired.

SUIT ABOUT SLAVES.

A decision in the case of Painter vs. Pillow, involving $20,000, for slaves bought by Pillow before and during the war, and for which war of consideration was pleaded, was affirmed by the Supreme Court against him, the Court deciding he is liable.

NORFOLK, VA.

Mass Meeting—Legislative Grant to Pennsylvania R. R.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

NORFOLK, February 13.—The largest mass meeting held in this city for many years, assembled to-night at the Opera House to protest against the proposed legislative grants of rights of way to the Pennsylvania Railroad Company for the construction, completing and connecting the link of railroad between Richmond and Fredericksburg, Va. Resolutions expressive of the sense of the meeting were adopted by acclamation and copies ordered to be forwarded to the Virginia Legislature.

SECOND EDITION.

FOUR O'CLOCK.

NATIONAL CAPITAL.

The new Test Oath Bill not yet Signed—The Claims Commission—Letter from the Secretary of the Navy—He thinks the Tennessee all Right—Hospitality to the Fenian Exiles.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, January 23, 1871.

THE NEW TEST OATH BILL.

The bill recently passed by Congress providing for the partial repeal of the test oath in the case of the persons elected to office who were engaged in the rebellion, but not under constitutional disqualifications, has been in the hands of the President eight legislative days, consequently to-morrow the bill will become a law. There have been rumors in circulation as to the probable intention of the President, and while he had been urged to sign it, very energetic remonstrances have come from many southern Republicans. The latest statement is to the effect that the delay has not been owing to an unwillingness to sign the present bill, but because the propriety of sending a message recommending the entire repeal of the test oath is under consideration. It is thought, however, that the bill will be signed and sent in to-day.

THE JOINT CLAIMS COMMISSION.

News received here last night says that it will be impossible for Sir John Rose to serve on the Joint High Commission to settle the questions at issue between the United States and England, but he will sail from New York early this week. The Duke of Devonshire or the Duke of Argyle is mentioned as likely to be appointed in his place. It is believed the Commission will not begin its session until about the first of March, as under the most favorable circumstances the Earl De Grey, Professor Bernard and Lord Tenterden will not arrive here until the last week of the present month, while the successor of Sir John Rose has not yet sailed.

THE TENNESSEE—THE SECRETARY OF THE NAVY'S LETTER.

The Secretary of the Navy addressed the following letter to Representative Sargent:

NAVY DEPARTMENT, WASHINGTON, February 13, 1871.

DEAR SIR:—In reply to your note in regard to the Tennessee, and to quiet any fear or apprehension that may have been excited as to her safety, I beg to say that at the time of her departure, the Commission had not decided whether it would proceed directly to San Domingo City, or first visit Samana Bay, or some other port on the Northern Coast of the Dominican Republic. That if she proceeded directly to San Domingo City, the voyage would at an ordinary rate of speed, and under steam consume from eight to ten days. That no advices have been received from San Domingo City, or any other port to which the Tennessee would be likely to go, since the time of her departure.

NO REGULAR LINES OF COMMUNICATION.

There are at this season of the year, no lines of ordinary and regular communication from San Domingo City or other ports in San Domingo to any place from which we could hear since the time the Tennessee was due at her destination. We have no telegraphic or any other advices, of her arrival or non-arrival. No extraordinary means of communication have been provided, and none are likely to have been employed except in case of disaster; that since she crossed the Gulf Stream, probably in lat. thirty-six degs. north, she would be

OUT OF THE TRACK

of vessels bound to our ports, and that if her voyage was successful we cannot expect advices from her except accidentally, until the return of the Tybee, which makes the only regular line of communication, and which will be due in New York in about ten days. The Tennessee is a new ship, of nearly three thousand tons burden, carefully and strongly built, larger than any ship in our squadron cruising in the West Indies, and is as

STAUNCH AND SEAWORTHY

as any ship in our navy. She was launched since the close of the war, and was found perfectly seaworthy in a long and boisterous trip. She is commanded by careful and experienced officers, has a full complement of officers and men, and is completely provisioned and equipped. She carries ten boats along, with a large steam launch. We have heard of no bad weather in the latitude where she would be likely to be, and her route did not take her to any such distance from ports of our own coast and the West Indies, that in case of serious accident the survivors of any but a most extraordinary disaster would not be most likely to have been heard from. The steamer Tybee left New York on the first of February, sailing in the track of the Tennessee, and at her usual rate would have arrived at San Domingo on the 8th, and in case of any disaster to the Tennessee on her way, or her non-arrival at some port of the Dominican Republic by that date, the news would most likely have been carried by one of our own cruisers, or by the extraordinary means which would in that case only have been employed, to Jamaica, whence we might by this time have heard by telegraph. That it seems to me that there is

NO SPECIAL CAUSE FOR ANXIETY

concerning the Tennessee than for any other ship of our navy on the ocean, that the absence of advices is by no means evidence of disaster, but that it will be henceforth, and till we finally hear by regular means, each day stronger assurance of a safe and successful voyage, and that the suggestions of her loss made without information, and maintained without a case, are as weak as they are cruel. Very respectfully,

GEO. M. ROBESON,
Secretary of the Navy.

BOWEN'S TRIAL FOR BIGAMY.

The case of Representative Bowen, charged with bigamy, was up in the Criminal Court of this District to-day. The principal witness for the prosecution was the Clerk of the Circuit Court, F. Lander, who testified that he married Mr. Bowen and Mrs. Parke in Tallahassee under a State law passed in 1848, giving a right to Judges of Probate to solemnize marriages.

SPAIN TO SETTLE AMERICAN CLAIMS.

General Sickles telegraphs to the State Department that negotiations for a mixed commission to consider the claims for injuries to the persons and property of American citizens by Spanish authorities during the insurrection in Cuba has been concluded, and a messenger is on the way to this city with the correspondence.

WASHINGTON HOSPITALITY TO THE FENIAN EXILES.

WASHINGTON, February 13.—Both branches of the City Council appropriated $1,000 for the purpose of extending the hospitalities of the Capital to the Fenian exiles.

41ST CONGRESS.

(THIRD SESSION.)

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, February 13, 1871

SENATE.

MEMORIALS FROM STATE LEGISLATURES.

Mr. THURMAN presented a resolution from the Ohio Legislature requesting Congress to pass no more land grants.

Mr. SHERMAN presented a memorial asking authority from Congress for the Cincinnati and Southern Railroad Company to construct a railroad through the State of Kentucky. Permission is now withheld by the adverse action of the Kentucky State Senate.

Mr. Sherman expressed his hearty concurrence in the prayer of the memorial, and his belief that if there was any time when Federal authority might be properly exercised in railroad matters it was when a State obstinately placed itself in the way of the construction of a road desired by Northern and Southern people as a means of communication. The memorial was ordered printed.

SALE OF MILITARY RESERVATIONS.

On motion of Mr. WILSON, the House amendments to the bill for the sale of useless military reservations were concurred in.

GULF STEAMSHIP SUBSIDY BILL.

Mr. KELLOGG moved to make the gulf steamship subsidy bill the special business for to-day, after half-past four. Agreed to, with an amendment on motion of Mr. Casserly to include the Australian bill.

THE LAND BOUNTY BILL.

Mr. POMEROY, from the Committee on Public Lands, reported the House bill to enable honorably discharged soldiers and sailors, their widows and orphan children, to acquire homesteads on public lands of the United States, with amendments striking out the provisions allowing the assignment of homestead certificates, and by omitting the section allowing entry of the land by an agent or attorney. The Committee also recommended that the Commissioner General of the Land Office have authority to make all needful regulations to carry the Act into effect, and especially regarding the declarations and proofs required.

Mr. MORTON gave notice of a motion to-morrow for the meeting of the Senate hereafter at 11 o'clock in the morning.

THE GEORGIA SENATORSHIP.

At one o'clock the Senate, according to previous order, took up the joint resolution prescribing the form of oath taken by Mr. Miller claiming the seat of the Senator from Georgia.

Mr. TRUMBULL, Chairman of the Judiciary Committee, proceeded to show that Mr. Miller had received seven more votes for Senator than Mr. Hill, who had been admitted. Mr. Miller was not disqualified under the fourteenth amendment, and though a Democrat had received Republican votes, among others that of the present contestant for the seat (Farrow), when running as candidate for the Georgia State Constitutional Convention. He assisted to frame the Constitution of that State, and had advocated its adoption by the people.

Mr. EDMUNDS in opposition to the claim of Mr. Miller, argued that the act of the Georgia Legislature in electing a Senator disqualified by law, was in defiance of and overriding the law, and that Congress was bound by self-respect and to preserve its integrity of legislation, to resist these attempts. The necessity of this was more apparent in view of the fact that those for whom the clemency of Congress was asked, had as a class secured their election because they had made war on the country. For one, he would never vote to qualify a man for a seat in the senate who was ineligible when elected. He held that an election under such circumstances was void.

Mr. THURMAN inquired whether Mr. Edmunds had not frequently voted for disability bills, upon the statement of members that they were intended to allow certain parties already elected to enter upon their offices.

Mr. EDMUNDS admitted he had been weak and foolish enough to follow the lead of his Democratic friend, Mr. Thurman, in making a man an officer by law who was not entitled to be an officer when elected, but he now recognized his error and proposed to amend it. He was willing to meet the South half way. He would agree that the past should be forgotten, but would not consent to extend grace to a people among whom men who stood by the Government were not safe; and where the greatest recommendation to office was that the party had imbued his hands in the blood of his fellow citizens. The present case differed only from that of Mr. Thomas, in Maryland, whom the Senator several years ago refused to admit because of his participation in the rebellion. In fact Mr. Miller admitted his voluntary participation.

Mr. NYE inquired whether the resolution covered the case of Governor Vance, who had been elected Senator from North Carolina.

Mr. TRUMBULL replied that it did not, but it was specially confirmed in the case of Miller.

Mr. CONKLING delivered a long legal argument to show that Miller was objectionable in every element—in the test oath, in legislation, and in the legality of his election.

Mr. CARPENTER held that the Act of Congress of July, 1862, imposing the iron clad oath, was, as to Miller, unconstitutional. Unlike Hill, Farrow and Whitely, claiming seats from Georgia, each of whom had had their disabilities removed, Miller had never held a federal office prior to the rebellion, but had served as surgeon to a rebel regiment. His offence therefore was simply treason without the aggravating crime of perjury. Of the term for which Miller was elected, only one month remained. His offence came within the range of the pardon issued by President Johnson, December, 1868, and had been entirely obliterated by that act.

Mr. HILL stated that Mr. Miller was elected by the Georgia Legislature over more popular candidates, among whom were two gallant Generals, because he was not obnoxious to the Fourteenth Amendment and likely to be most acceptable to Congress. He denied that the gentleman's success was due to his connection with the rebellion, as the fact of professional services in the rebel army was not generally known.

THE BILL PASSES

after a long and somewhat acrimonious debate, in which it was charged that the passage of the bill partially repealing the test oath was procured by mis-statements, the vote on ordering the bill to its third reading was taken, resulting in its passage by 38 ayes and 20 nays. The bill was accordingly read a third time.

The Gulf Steamship subsidy bill then came up as unfinished business, when at 6:45 P. M. the Senate adjourned.

HOUSE.

Bills introduced and referred:

BILL TO PAY LOSSES OF LOYAL SOUTHERNERS.

By Mr. COBB, of North Carolina, to protect loyal peaceable citizens and perpetuate the evidence of losses sustained in the rebellion, providing for the appointment of a commissioner in each county of Alabama, Arkansas, Florida, Georgia, Mississippi, North Carolina, South Carolina, Tennessee, Texas, Virginia, and Kentucky, to take cognizance of all the KuKlux outrages.

The bill, which was a long one, having been read, on demand of Mr. Niblack, Mr. Eldridge moved it be rejected, and called for the ayes and nays.

The motion was negatived. The bill was then referred.

The reading of the bill and voting occupied all that was left of the morning hour, the object being to prevent the Air Line Railroad bill coming before the House.

OHIO LEGISLATURE AGAINST LAND GRANTS.

Mr. UPSON presented the resolutions of the Ohio Legislature against further land grants to railroads.

CINCINNATI AND SOUTHERN R. R.

Mr. STEVENSON, of Ohio, presented a bill to promote the construction of the Cincinnati and Southern Railroad.

SUPPORT OF EDUCATION.

Mr. BINGHAM introduced resolutions requiring information as to the aid given by Congress to the several States for the support of education.

DUTY ON WOOL.

Mr. ASPER, to reduce the duty on imported wool; also in relation to the bridge across the Missouri River at Fort Leavenworth; also joint resolution of the Missouri Legislature against further land grants.

Mr. McCORMICK presented the resolutions of the Missouri Legislature in reference to the homestead laws.

Mr. WILSON, of Minnesota, authorizing

THE ST. PAUL AND MINNESOTA RAILROAD

to change its line, in consideration of the relinquishment of lands.

Mr. INGERSOLL moved to suspend the rules so as to take up the

AIR LINE RAILROAD

bill for consideration. Rejected; yeas, 111; nays, 74.

NAVIGATION OF THE OHIO RIVER.

Mr. HOLMAN moved to suspend the rules to report from the Committee on Commerce and put on its passage a joint resolution to prevent the obstruction of the navigation of the Ohio river. Lost, 113 to 76.

BRIDGE OVER THE MISSISSIPPI.

Mr. DYER moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill to authorize the construction of a bridge over the Mississippi river at Louisiana, Mo., and over the Missouri river at Glasgow, Mo. Agreed to.

A QUESTION OF PRIVILEGE AND WOMEN'S PRIVILEGES.

Mr. ROGERS, rising to a question of privilege, offered a resolution reciting that a number of certain women [laughter] had taken possession ten days since of the room of the Committee on Education and Labor, and requesting the Speaker to take steps to remove these women.

The Speaker did not see that there was any question involved in the resolution, and did not know that he had any authority in the matter. If he had, he would cheerfully delegate it to the gentleman from Arkansas. [Loud laughter.]

THE MISSISSIPPI LEVEES.

On motion of Mr. ROATS, the Senate bill authorizing water gauges to be established and observations made in the Mississippi river in relation to levees, was taken from the Speaker's table and passed.

MR. JONES IN THE CHARACTER OF A CRITIC.

Mr. JONES, (Ky.,) moved to suspend the rules and pass a joint resolution repudiating the ideas contained in the late message from the President, as to the supposed similarity between political institutions and the Empire of Germany and the United States. Negatived.

JACKSON, LANSING AND SAGINAW RAILROAD.

Mr. BEAMAN, moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill to enable the Jackson, Lansing and Saginaw Railroad Company, to change the northern terminus of the road from Traverse Bay to the Straits of Mackinaw. Agreed.

DAMAGES TO BE PAID.

Mr. MORGAN presented a resolution authorizing the City Controller to pay H. C. Mackrell administrator of J. A. Butts, the sum of $1,228.60, amount of judgment obtained by him for damages to property of plaintiff from a leak in the Fifth avenue sewer. Read three times and passed.

FINALLY PASSED.

An ordinance, by Mr. DUFF, changing Mahon street in title to Mahon avenue.

An ordinance, by Mr. Morgan, authorizing the Street Committee to contract for putting down sidewalk pavements at the same time they contract for grading and paving. This ordinance was passed by a division vote of 42 ayes and 9 nays.

THE RIGHT OF UNIVERSAL SUFFRAGE.

Mr. BINGHAM moved to suspend rules and bring before the House the bill to amend the act of May 31st, 1870, to enforce the rights of citizens of the United States vote in several states. Agreed to, and the bill made the special order for Wednesday, after reading the Journal vote, to be taken at 4 o'clock, without any dilatory motions.

PENSIONS TO BLIND SOLDIERS.

Mr. HAY moved to suspend the rules and pass a bill increasing by forty per cent. the pensions of all pensioners who had lost the sight of both eyes, or who otherwise have been totally disabled for service.

Mr. BENJAMIN said that the subject was before the Committee on pensions, which were soon to report the bill, therefore he hoped the motion would be rejected. The motion was rejected.

MAIL SERVICE TO SOUTH AMERICA.

Mr. COX introduced a bill to provide for additional mail service to Brazil. Referred. He said the object of the bill was to supply cheap coffee, without additional cost, and there was a subsidy in the bill.

MILITARY INTERFERENCE IN ELECTIONS.

The SPEAKER presented a communication from the President, in reply to a resolution offered some days ago by Mr. Sargent, and showing that the aid of the military of the United States had been given by order of President Johnson, to aid the civic authorities in California, at the election in 1868, on the request of the Governor of the State. Suggestions were made by Messrs. Brooks of New York, and Wood and Cox, that troops had been sent to New York to interfere with elections there, without any requisition from the Governor, and a like observation in regard to Pennsylvania was made by Mr. Randall.

The House then adjourned.

POUGHKEEPSIE, N. Y.

Further from the Great Railroad Disaster.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

POUGHKEEPSIE, N. Y., February 13.—The locomotive was raised up to-night even with the abutment of the bridge, and will be landed upon the track to-morrow. No bodies have been found. Polk, the diver, will make another descent to-morrow to search for the engineer. The surveyors sent by the Committee of the Senate have been at the wreck all day. Mrs. Sarah Bennet, who reached New Hamburg on Thursday in search of her husband, came here to-day to view the unclaimed clothing at the undertakers, and identifying her husband's hat, fainted away. It is thought that he was the man who was on the engine with the engineer.

NEW BRUNSWICK.

An American Vessel Illegally Seized and Subsequently Released.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

ST. JOHN'S, N. B., February 13.—The American schooner White Fawn, captured by the Dominion cutter Water Lily, has been released by the decision of the Vice-Admiralty Judge, who declared that the action of the Commander of the Water Lily was hasty and illegal.

BRIEF TELEGRAMS.

—Lieut. Gov. Leslie, of Kentucky, was yesterday inaugurated at Frankfort.

—The United States steamship Worcester will be ready to receive stores for the French at the Charlestown Navy Yard on the 15th.

—Rev. R. W. Condit, Pastor of the First Presbyterian Church at Oswego, New York, for forty years, died suddenly on Sunday last.

—Mr. A. M. McClelland, lately employed as bookkeeper for the Atlantic and Pacific Telegraph Company at Omaha, disappeared last Friday.

—The injunction against the Boston, Hartford and Erie Railroad has been so modified as to allow the Receiver to complete that portion of the road already contracted for.

—Eleven Indians, representing families of forty-five persons, have signed papers at Yankton, Dakotah Territory, renouncing their tribal relations, and filed claims for homesteads.

A NICE POINT.

Who Shall Receive the Money Refunded on Account of Sewer Assessment—Perplexing Equities.

The provisions of the act of March, 1869, are not going to be carried out without controversy. Controller Porter is now in readiness to pay the money to those entitled, for a number of the sewers, but encountered an unforeseen difficulty. By the Sewer Commissioners it is held that under the act the refunded moneys should be handed over to the present occupants of the property on which they were originally collected, and at their suggestion the city engineer in making out his lists compiled them from that class. City Solicitor Rodgers, however, takes a different view of the matter. He construes the act to entitle those who owned the property in March, 1869, the date at which Councils were directed by the Legislature to provide for the reimbursements, to the sums repaid. He holds that the assessments followed the property up to the date of the passage of the act, but that the then owner should receive the money, no matter when thereafter he may have parted with his title to the property itself. This construction is, of course, not acquiesced in by those who acquired property after the passage of the act. The presumption is a very natural one that all who parted with title to property after the assessment were careful to add its amount to the valuation set upon what they sold. It is certainly a nice point, and much may be said on both sides of the question. A seller is not always fortunate enough to get his own price when selling houses and lands, and, in such a special case, equity would seem to demand that he should be reinbursed; while, on the other hand, the man who had sold his property immediately after the passage of the act of March, 1869, and had taken the precaution to add the assessment to the price, should not be entitled to receive it twice. Some more authoritative exposition of the law than it is in the power of City Solicitor Rodgers to give will doubtless be invoked; and, meanwhile, the refunding will be suspended.

St. Valentine's Day.

As all the world knows, to-day is St. Valentine's day. We do not, in a passing notice of the day, intend to vamp up the obsolete learning which has been yearly reproduced from time whereof the memory of man runneth not to the contrary. What wots the sweet girl who to-day peruses her Valentine whether the custom grew out of a devotion to the Saint beheaded by order of the tyrant Claudius, or from the pagan practice of Lupercalia? Whatever its origin, whether of pagan or of Christian root, it has held its own bravely. It has become, latterly, with the fastidious and dilettante, the vogue to slight St. Valentine's day. It's by no means in the homes of the wealthy what it was of old. But the effort is fruitless. Each recurring year demonstrates that its hold upon the hearts of the masses, has not, and is not likely to be, relaxed.

Perhaps the most pleasing method of accounting for the observances which accompany the 14th of February is the opinion held that on that day the birds select their mates. However this may be, certain it is that to-day through all the length and breadth of America, and crossing the ocean, in the greater portion of the European continent, many a nascent preference will be nourished and many an undreamt of attachment will spring up out of to-day's association with St. Valentine. It may be that devotion to its pleasing rites is confined mainly to what in Europe would be called the humbler and the middle classes. It will not lose a whit of its pleasing associations for all that.

Like almost everything, St. Valentine's day, while in little danger of falling into desuetude, has undergone very great changes in the method of the observance. In place of the marked and distinctive selection, of an inamorata or a swain that should for a year at least engross all loving thought, it has become, instead, the medium of merry courtesy, and, a means, often, of indicating a preference which might or might not ripen into something serious or permanent. With honest and humble folks it is nearly always however made the means of conveying a downright attachment.

The Valentine is not alone the reflex of the softer moods of the human heart. It is made to serve all purposes. Its license is availed of very frequently to insinuate caustic satire or rebuke. It is coating the gall with honey to disguise malignity under this merry and innocent livery of love; but we are afraid many of the Valentines of the present day serve the purposes of the lampoon of earlier times.

But of this we may be sure, there are enough of well-meaning and merry hearted folk to redeem and outweigh whatever of abuse may creep into the observance. Who can dwell long upon the sneer of the fastidious or the abuse of the malicious when one remembers what unaffected delight her Valentine carries to the heart of Bridget in the kitchen, when the missive is handed to her which assures her of the devotion of the tall strapping fellow who perhaps is longing to ask her to be his wife?

And then the school girl—she who is just beginning to descry the dawning of womanhood—what an immeasurable fund of delight is her Valentine to her. We may be perfectly sure that its design will be elegant and lovely, and that its inscription will be pure and delicate, and that it expresses the boundless devotion of some aspiring youth who meditates enterprises of great faith and moment to win her regard. In fine, there are a thousand things, if one were to make an inventory of them, which should make us hail the day with never-diminishing pleasure, and hope that it may have, if not the eternal years of God, continuance to the last syllable of recorded time.

The Eclipse.

We have been politely permitted to see a letter from Prof. S. P. Langley, dated London, January 23, to a friend in this city, in which he refers to the accounts of the observations of the eclipse made by the various parties from different stations, given by the press as only very *general* and unsatisfactory, except that from Prof. Young, published in the journal of the Franklin Institute. Of the several observing parties, Prof. Langley thinks his own, on the whole, most successful. Owing to the unfortunate prevalence of clouds and mists at several of the stations, obsolutely nothing could be seen. The thick weather precluding our Professor from using the spectroscope, to which he had been assigned, it was put aside for the direct study of coronal structure with the telescope, and for Polariscope observations in which he had considerable success. Among the interesting facts deduced from these observations is that the Corona is a more complex phenomenon than had been supposed—that it shines by its own and by reflected solar light, this is now settled, but there are singular discrepancies in other things of which we hope to hear more when the Professor reaches home, which, as he was to sail on the 31st of January, may be daily expected. We are glad to learn that through the liberality of one of our citizens Professor Langley has been able to purchase and will bring with him some much needed additional apparatus for the Observatory.

It Did Not Extenuate.

Maria Ritzer yesterday came before Alderman Koenig and preferred against Benedict Dilger an information for assault. The parties live in the Twelfth ward, are neighbors, and, the present complication would seem to show, don't care to cultivate amicable relations. Dilger, incensed by something said or done by Maria, forgetting that the soft answer turneth away wrath raised his arm to strike her. The uplifted blow, Maria swears, was only averted by the interposition of Dilger's wife, Elizabeth, who caught his arm and held it up. The Alderman issued his warrant for Dilger. Maria then caused to be filed out an information against the wife, Elizabeth, for disorderly conduct. The latter had, it is true, held up the arm of her husband and prevented its coming in wrath on complainant's head, but she followed Maria out into the street, the latter alleges, and abused her roundly. For this she asked redress. Were there in criminal suits, as in civil, any such thing as set-off, Elizabeth Dilger might very well ask that her interposition to save complainant from her husband's angry blow should extenuate her tongue's offending. A warrant went forth for the wife also.

Allegheny Cemetery Impassable.

It was an easy thing to anticipate that the hard freezing weather of Sunday night, following fast upon the continuous drizzle beginning in the early morning, and lasting till nighfall, would make disagreeable locomotion yesterday for man and beast. The hard graveled carriage ways and steep ascents of the Allegheny Cemetery yesterday morning, were coated over by an impassable covering of ice. The authorities foresaw the danger and attempted to guard against it by sprinkling them with cinders. The idea was a good one but did not avail. It was found quite out of the question to ascend the carriage ways. A number of funeral parties attempted the ascent, but it was found necessary to abandon the idea to get a whole cortege to a grave. The footing of the horses was so insecure that the attempt was abandoned, and the gateway of the Cemetery was soon blockaded, rendering recourse to the footways necessary. Quite a number of mishaps befell carriage horses even with this precaution.

Not One Cent for Tribute.

The consideration that taxes are an absolute essential to keep the machinery of government running, did not, according to the averments of Jacob Grau, made yesterday before Alderman Keonig, avail to suppress a disturbance which eventuated in a criminal information. Grau is constable in the Sixteenth ward, and was instructed to collect certain moneys claimed to be due from William Robb as taxes. Robb is a grocer in the ward, and Grau says that when he approached about the matter he became very violent, ordering him out of his storeand finally pushing him out. The offence was embodied in an information before Alderman Koenig, under the caption of resisting an officer. The complainant avers that, in addition to his violent conduct, Robb showered upon him language not mentionable to ears polite. A warrant issued.

Stay of Execution.

AN ACT relative to the stay of execution in the county of Allegheny.

Be it enacted, &c., That on and after the passage of this act, the stay of execution upon all judgments entered in the court of common pleas and the district court of the county of Allegheny, shall be computed from the return day to which the original process issued was returnable.

At the last meeting of the Woman's Suffrage Association the following very sensible resolution was adopted:

"*Resolved*, That for the better promotion of the object of this Association, all its members and friends be counseled to encourage the general use of Pier, Dannals & Co.'s cream ale."

RADICAL CURE Rupture Truss at Dr. Keysers 167 Liberty street.

GENERALITIES.

TERRE HAUTE has more doggeries than shops.

BLACK silk stockings are fashionable in London.

CUCUMBERS and beans have appeared in New York.

LONDON has twenty daily newspapers, while Pittsburgh has but eleven.

THE Virginia reel on crutches is the latest terpsichorean novelty in the west.

VIOLETS, jessamine and verbenas, load the air of Florida with their perfume just now.

THE Democratic Convention of Washington county is called for the 18th of February.

WASHINGTON, like Pittsburgh, is disappointed with Fechter, but hugely admires Miss Leclercq.

IT is said that timber cut in February will last three times longer than that cut in the summer months.

WHAT is the difference between godfathers and godchildren? The former are bled, the latter cupped.

CHICAGO has only just founded a foundling hospital. Hitherto they've all been hung on door-knobs, in baskets.

A NEW ORLEANS paper announces as a curious fact in natural history that the beard of an oyster is always forked.

CHARLES SHAW's woolen mill in Germantown was burned down on Friday. Loss about $11,000; insurance $4,000.

A NON-EXPLOSIVE kerosene pedlar, in Kansas, lit a lamp to show the quality of his fluid. They buried him where he fell.

A BOSTON paper urges that the names of the builders should always be given in reports of fire caused by defective flues.

RHODE ISLAND claims to produce meerschaum; but the quantity must be so small in a State of that size that it can't make much matter.

A PHILADELPHIA paper thinks seven cents too much for hanging to a strap in a dirty and crowded street car. Some folks are always complaining.

DEMOCRATIC papers are punning on Secretary Fish's name and the fishery question. It would be better if they would settle the Fiskerie question.

A MOUNTAINEER, with $2,005, combatted the hosts of faro in Kansas city, till he had only $5 left. He lit a cigar with that and coolly walked back to Denver.

THE Boston *Post* says: An Indianian ate a pounded lamp chimney and a bottle with suicidal intent. He miserably failed, and we must decline to publish his name.

GERMAN lecturers get $10 an evening. It is proposed to import a lot of the best and get up a "corner" that will compel Gough, Anna Dickinson et al. "to go short."

THE magnetic wells of Michigan are recommended as boot-jacks. Bring your foot near enough to one and it will either draw the nails from the boot or the boot from the foot.

A CANADIAN paper the other day made King William aspire to the restoration of the "ancient suspenders of the Father land." The next issue said it meant "splendours."

THE Newburyport *Herald* is the latest accession to the ranks of the revenue reformers. It advocates first the annexation of the world and then the promulgation of free trade.

THE N. Y. *Democrat* suggests that the palace street cars, now building, should have a bath room, restaurant on the European plan, and bar on the ground floor, and a billiard room up stairs.

A CINCINNATI man kicked a black dog off his doorstep, the other night, as he supposed, and was horrified when a policeman picked it up and found it an Ethiopian baby wrapped up in a black cloth. The kick killed it.

A CHICAGO youth named Slackman ordered his father to get up and build a fire, but the old man talked back, and the boy had to flog him before he would mind. Of late years fathers are getting more impudent.—[N. Y. Dem.

A NEGRO child in Virginia shot a colored woman while playing with a pistol. While the doctor was dressing her wound an Ethiop undertook to show how the accident happened, but dropping the weapon it was discharged and the ball killed a compatriot.

A ROBBER having broken into the house of a Mr. Garnett, Oregon Hill, Richmond, Va., one evening last week, was going off with an armful of plunder, when he was courageously seized by Mrs. Garnett. The robber, finding that she was rather a troublesome customer to get rid of, threw a quantity of red pepper into her eyes, and, dislocating one of the lady's wrists, succeeded in escaping out of a window.

THE New Orleans *Republican* says that a few days ago, as a boy, eighteen years old, was wading along Melpomene street, in that city, which was deeply flooded at the time, he suddenly felt an acute pain in one of his feet, and, on raising it to the surface, saw a conger eel follow, and felt it bite him again. He soon grew very sick, and was carried to his home and attended promptly by a physician, but died the next day.

THE spread of epidemic cholera throughout India is suggestive of no very cheerful anticipations. Dr. Bryden, of the India Sanitary Commission, has recently written his annual report on the spread of the cholera in that country. The report concludes with the opinion that this plague cannot be prevented, and that no human efforts can stay its progress. When we remember that, beginning usually in India, the cholera spreads westward until it has reached our shores, the course of the present fearful disease in India will be followed with solicitude.

A LIGHTHOUSE keeper, recently appointed on the New Jersey coast, made a ridiculous blunder. Immediately after he had taken possession complaints were made that the lights went out by twelve o'clock. The proper officer was at once sent to look into the matter, and he was told that complaints were made against him. "For what?" was the inquiry. "Why," replied the officer, "they say that your lights do not burn after twelve o'clock at night." "Well," was the reply, "I know they don't, for I put 'em out myself then, for I thought all vessels had got in by that time, and I wanted to save the ile."

MR. HOME created not a little excitement in spiritual circles in London, when he accomplished the feat of extending his person beyond its natural limits, but now there comes a Captain Blank, who advertises that he has discovered a process by which the stature can be greatly increased and the symmetry of the figure beautifully developed. He himself was only five feet eight inches, but in two years he has increased his height to six feet one inch, and all by a "remarkable physiological discovery." The gallant captain does not reveal the discovery of which he speaks, evidently desiring to coin ducats thereby.

THERE is complaint, with good cause, of the antiquated and poor method of transporting the mails to and from Martha's Vineyard. A correspondent gives an account of the present mail route as follows: A rickety old team, and a slow one at that, takes the mail first from Edgartown eight miles to Holme's Hole—then a sailing vessel of small and mean capacity and accommodations, takes it six or eight miles more from the wharf in Holme's Hole harbor to Wood's Hole, when she is not frozen up, or the wind is not ahead, or it does not blow too hard, or it is not too calm. Then an accommodation wagon takes it over a poor travelling road to the village of Falmouth. Then an old fashioned stage coach takes it the agreeable distance of sixteen miles to Monument. Arrived at this point the well shook up and carelessly handled mail bags take a rest on the cars.

A Crisis in Kentucky.

The Louisville *Courier-Journal* asks: What are we going to do for our Judges? They are sworn to support the Constitutions—the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of Kentucky. The Constitution of Kentucky says (through our rules of evidence) that they shall not admit negro testimony. The Constitution of the United States (through act of Congress) says they shall. There is a penalty prescribed, and several Judges have been indicted and more will be. What are we going to do? Which Constitution must our Judges stick to? The Constitution that swears them to support the laws of Kentucky, or the Constitution that swears them to support the laws of the United States? Are we not biting our Judges' noses in order that we may spite our own faces?

A FORTUNE.

The Fruits of the Trade of the Slaver and the Resurrectionist.

Some fifty or sixty years ago, says the North Bridgewater *Gazette*, a Massachusetts paper, a man by the name of Isaac Phillips went from North Bridgewater to the Southern States, and engaged in the business of buying and selling slaves. He amassed a handsome fortune in this nefarious business. It is said that he deposited some $40,000 in a bank in New York city, where it has been on interest ever since, and for which the bank officers are now trying to find an owner. There is of course considerable scrabbling for that large amount of property. It is presumed that he left no children. There are a great many nephews and nieces of the above named Isaac Phillips in Easton, Stoughton, and Bridgewater, and in the region round about these towns. The point now to be proved is whether the Isaac Phillips aforesaid is the one that deposited that money in New York. If these heirs can prove that he really was the man, then the money is theirs.

There once lived in a small cottage on a cross road leading from Dickerman's corner in this town to North Bridgewater, an old lady by the name of Susie Phillips. She obtained her livelihood by braiding straw and fitting boots. She guarded her huckleberry pasture with vigilance, and woe betide the children that dared to fill their baskets from its bushes. The old lady died five or six years ago, at an advanced age, and at her request the large family Bible containing the record of the Phillips family was placed under her head and buried with her in the grave. It was thought that this Bible would be of service in looking up the pedigree of the Phillips family, and last week the grave was opened and the Bible taken from beneath the head of the deceased. It has not yet been opened, for after lying so long under ground it was in a very bad condition. When they shall be enabled to examine it, some light may be thrown upon the subject of the early history of the family.

Human Porcupines.

The Paris correspondent of the *Pall Mall Gazette* says: "Socially and conversationally speaking, the French have become a nation of porcupines. I could reckon on my fingers' ends the Frenchmen I can speak to for five minutes without putting them in a passion. One of my oldest and best tempered friends left my house in a huff three months ago, and has never reappeared. He was hurt that I did not join in his desire to deluge Europe—and especially England—in blood. The only safe thing to say is that the Huns and the Goths were angels compared to the Germans. This might be thought too moderate, but it would be forgiven."

—Ex-Governor Fletcher, arrived yesterday from the Indian country, where he completed a treaty with the Shawnee and Wyandotte Indians, for a right of way for the Southern Pacific Railroad through their reservations. This gives the road an unobstructed right of way from the Western border of Missouri to the Colorado river.

—A man named Choate, commonly known as the Newburyport fire-bug, was yesterday sentenced to confinement in the Massachusetts State Prison for life, for numerous incendiary acts.

Nashville.

NASHVILLE, February 13.—Cotton quiet; low middling 13¼c. Bulk Meats 8⅛@11⅛@11¾c, Lard 13c. Bacon; clear sides 12¾c: shoulders 10c. Hams 14c. Sugar cured hams 16½c. Corn 70c. Oats 60c. Wheat $1@1,10. Flour $4,75@7,50.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

CHAMPION SKATER OF THE UNITED STATES.
Mr. John Miner,
CHAMPION STILT SKATER,
Has been secured to appear at the RINK on TUESDAY, Afternoon and Evening, February 14.
Mr. WM. H. BROWN, the Superintendent of the Keystone Rink, in order to treat the people of both cities to something new and novel in the Skaterial art, has been to great expense and pains to secure the services of the above named gentleman, who is pronounced by all who have seen his extraordinary performances to be unequalled, and the acknowledged Champion of the World.
This gentleman comes to us highly recommended by the Press in all sections of the country where he has appeared.
Come One! Come all!
The Great Western Band will be in attendance in the evening. fe14

MERCANTILE
Library Lectures.
THE DISTINGUISHED LECTURER,
John B. Gough,
Will deliver Two Lectures at
MERCANTILE LIBRARY HALL,
Under the auspices of the Young Men's Mercantile Library Association.
First—On Friday Evening, Feb. 17.
Second—On Monday Evening, Feb. 20.
TICKETS........................75 Cents.
No Reserved Seats. Tickets for sale at the Library. fe14

Brickmakers, Attention!
There will be a meeting of the Brick Manufacturers of Pittsburgh, Allegheny and Allegheny County at the office of the PITTSBURGH STEAM BRICK CO., corner of First and Wood streets, second floor, on THURSDAY, the 16th inst., at 3 o'clock, P. M., punctual, and a full attendance is desired. By order of Chairman. fe14:80

THE CO-PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE existing between JOHN G. WILSON and JOHN H. WARNER, under the firm names of WILSON & CO., Allegheny City, Pa., and J. H. WARNER & CO., Pittsburgh, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. JOHN G. WILSON retiring. JOHN H. WARNER will continue the business at 120 Federal street, Allegheny city.
JNO. G. WILSON,
JOHN H. WARNER.
PITTSBURGH, Feb. 11, 1871. fe14:m72

STATEMENT OF THE
Finances of Ormsby Borough
JANUARY 1st, 1871.
H. C. NULLMEYER, Treasurer,
In account with Ormsby Borough.

Cash on hand, April 6th, 1870	$ 3 45
Borough Duplicate	3,[illegible] 45
Vehicle License	[illegible] 05
Fines from Wm. Schmolze	50 00
	$3,884 95
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Borough Warrants paid	$1,296 37
Allowance of 5 per cent. on Borough taxes	83 67
Duplicate of Uncollected Taxes	1,[illegible]
Cash on hand	1,374 [illegible]
	$3,884 95

EXPENDITURES OF ORMSBY BOROUGH.
For the Year ending Dec. 31, 1870.

For Streets	$ 611 39
Printing Stationery, Stamps, &c	[illegible]
Salaries	140 00
Board Walk on Carson street	447 64
	$1,296 37

fe14:m81 A. L. WALLACE, Clerk.

OPERA CHAINS.
We have on hand a very fine assortment of LADIES GOLD OPERA CHAINS, which we will sell at reduced prices. Also, a fine stock of
GOLD and SILVER WATCHES, CHAINS, BRACELETS, JEWELRY, &c.,
AT REDUCED PRICES.
WATTLES & SHEAFER,
fe13 101 FIFTH AVENUE.

CARD.
The undersigned, having bought of HARDEE & LOOMIS, of Buffalo, N. Y., the right to manufacture and sell their
Improved Patent Bed Lounge.
They will be kept on hand at our warehouse, No. 64 SMITHFIELD STREET, both at wholesale and retail. They are positively the best Bed Lounge in the market. They are an improvement on all the Bed Lounges that have been gotten up before them.
A. MILLIKEN & CO.
fe13:m69

NOTICE TO WEIGHERS AT PRIVATE SCALES.—Weighers at private scales will call at the Controller's office and receive their bonds for the year 1871 and have them properly executed for the approval of the Finance Committee. Those who are in arrears will please call on the Treasurer and pay over the amounts due by them for the year 1870.
By order of Committee.
fe13 R. J. McGOWAN, Controller.

NOTICE TO STATIONERS.
CITY CONTROLLER'S OFFICE,
Pittsburgh, February 13, 1871.
Sealed Proposals will be received at this office until FEBRUARY 18th for furnishing the city with Stationery and Blank Books for the ensuing year. Bidders will please send in specimens.
By order of Finance Committee.
fe13 R. J. McGOWAN, Controller.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

CARD.
We take pleasure in announcing to our personal friends and the public that we have formed a Co-partnership under the style of HOWARD EATON & CO. for the sale of the justly celebrated IMPROVED ELLIPTIC SEWING MACHINES in Western Pennsylvania and Eastern Ohio.
We shall be pleased to have those who are interested in such matters call at our rooms, 17 Fifth avenue, and examine what we believe to be the BEST FAMILY SEWING MACHINE ever invented.
We are permitted to refer to many well-known families and dress makers who are now using them in preference to all others, because more easily learned and less liable to get out of order, as being operated with less power and less noise, and running more rapidly, and also capable of the widest range and best quality of work.
These Machines are WARRANTED for three years, and are sold or leased on as favorable terms as any other first-class Machines.
HOWARD EATON,
WILLIS L. EATON.
fe14:m74-TTHS

AN ORDINANCE—For the Construction of a Sidewalk on Braddock street.
SECTION 1. Be it enacted and ordained by the Burgess and Town Council of the Borough of Braddock, and it is hereby enacted by the same, That the owners of property fronting or abutting on the south side of that portion of Braddock street lying between Corey & Co.'s Railroad and the eastern terminus of the Borough, be and they are hereby directed and required to construct a "Sidewalk" (subject to the direction and instruction of the Burgess) in front of the property so abutting, within thirty (30) days after they shall have been duly notified of the requirements of this ordinance.
SEC. 2. Said Sidewalk shall be six (6) feet in width, and the material used in the construction thereof may be either brick or plank; if plank is used, the same shall be at least one and one-half (1½) in thickness, and placed on sufficient sills or supports; and if brick is used with curbing, the width shall not be less than seven (7) feet; if without curbing, it may be but six (6) feet in width; and the owners of "corner lots" shall be required to extend said sidewalk beyond the front of their property to the curb line of the cross streets. It shall be laid five feet from the property line and one foot from the curb line.
SEC. 3. If any property owner or authorized agent or executor shall neglect or refuse to comply with the requirements of this ordinance for the period of thirty (30) days after they shall have been duly notified thereof, then it shall be the duty of the Burgess to cause the same to be done and to collect the cost of the work and materials with twenty (20) per cent. advance thereon from said parties in the same manner as such claims are by law recoverable.
SEC. 4. That any ordinance or part of ordinance conflicting with the passage of this ordinance at the present time, be and the same is hereby repealed so far as the same affects this ordinance.
Ordained and enacted into a law this seventh day of February, 1871.
GEORGE FRITZIUS, Burgess.
Attest:
A. DEMPSTER, Clerk of Council. fe14

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10 bbls Choice Cultivated.
FEATHERS.
2,000 Pounds Prime Geese,
Just received and for sale by
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PRODUCE COMMISSION MERCHANT,
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TO-LET.

TO-LET.—Fine RESIDENCE of 9 rooms at Edgeworth Station, P. Ft. W. & C. R. R. with 12 acres Improved Grounds. Enquire of STONE & PATTERSON, Attorneys, 71 Grant street, or of GEO. K. FLOWER, Edgeworth. fe14:m76

TO-LET.—That old DYEING ESTABLISHMENT, formerly occupied by H. J. Lance and at present by W. W. Neeper as a Steam Dyeing Establishment, 137 Third avenue. Apply to JOHN THOMPSON, Sewickley, or at 135 Third avenue. fe14 m74

TO-LET.
Three Story Brick Dwelling,
No. 93 OHIO STREET, ALLEGHENY.
An eligible location for a Physician. Rent per annum $800.
Enquire of JAMES NICHOLLS.
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TO-LET.—A Six Room House, No. 241 Western avenue, Allegheny, on line of Manchester cars, with or without a large stable. Inquire on the premises. fe11

TO LET—A comfortable DWELLING with late improvements, situated on Kirkpatrick St., near Centre Avenue, 11th Ward. Inquire at 98 Centre Av., or 68 Liberty St. fe10:m54

TO-LET.—2 Four Roomed HOUSES. Inquire of JOHN M. JOHNSTON, No. 33 Gum street. fe7:m51

TO-LET.—Furnished Rooms, suitable for four single gentlemen, with or without board, at No. 34 Ninth street. fe7:m47

TO-LET.—The Second and Third floors, with good office, of that desirable Warehouse No. 360 Liberty street, at present occupied by Van Gorder & Shepard. For terms, &c., inquire of JNO. McKIRDY & CO., No. 351 Liberty street. ja28:f

TO-LET—Several Dwellings, Stores, and Offices on and near the corner of Penn and Eighth streets. Also on Smithfield street. Enquire at 277 Penn street. ja28:m17

TO-LET—Three Story Dwelling and Store Room, No. 21 Diamond street. Enquire at No. 18 Wood street. W. H. HAYS. ja24:74-WFS

TO-LET—That fine New Warehouse, No. 72 Wood street, now occupied by the Germania Savings Bank. Enquire of W. H. HAYS, 18 Wood street. ja23:23-WFS

TO-LET.—The Store, No. 71 Wood STREET, between Fourth avenue and Diamond street, lately occupied by the Beaver Falls Cutlery Company. Inquire of CHARLES HAYS, No. 102 Liberty street. ja6:tf

TO-LET.—A STORE ROOM on Ferry street, second door from Diamond street. Inquire of ja5 HAYS & STEWART, 102 Liberty street.

TO-LET.—LIBERTY ST. WAREHOUSE.—No. 155 Liberty street, near St. Clair street, 100 feet deep to an alley. Enquire of JOHN WAY, Jr., Sewickleyville, Pa. 1-14

TO-LET—Two new three story Brick HOUSES, each containing ten rooms, wash house and bath room, hot and cold water and gas. Situated on the corner of Jalappa street and Allegheny avenue. Enquire of CHARLES FURNELL, Corner of Allegheny avenue and Rebecca street. fe7:m71

TO-LET—STORE ROOMS Nos. 180 and 182 FEDERAL STREET, Allegheny, now used for dry goods by William Semple, will be let as it is or divided to suit good tenants. Possession given on April 1st, or sooner, if desired. Dry Goods will have the preference. Rent for whole, $5,000; for one store, $2,500. Apply on the premises to WM. SEMPLE. fe8:m79 180 and 182 Federal St., Allegheny.

FOR RENT.—From April 1st, Ten ACRES OF GARDENING LAND, with a good house with nine (9) rooms, good stable, &c., one-fourth mile from Allegheny City, on the Perrysville plank road. Also, has a bearing orchard of good fruit. This is a rare opportunity for a gardener or any one wishing to engage in the business. For particulars inquire of Mr. Brown, toll-keeper at head of Federal street, or of MRS McINTYRE, fe2:m54 On the premises.

TO-LET.—Several well lighted ROOMS on Second and Third floors over No. 23 Fifth avenue, have recently been fitted up with New Oilings and Paper Hangings, are complete with stationary wash stands and other modern conveniences and are suitable for offices, warerooms or workrooms.
Apply to Executors of W. M'Clintock, dec'd, at Carpet Store of OLIVER McCLINTOCK & CO., ja25:m10-MTHF-tf 23 Fifth Avenue.

TO-LET.—281 Penn street, store and dwelling, $800; 179 Second avenue, $400; 109 Ross street, 8 rooms, $500; 191 Third avenue, $450; No. 2 Old Avenue, $525; Warehouse, Water street, [illegible]; Basement Store Room, Wood street, [illegible]; Market street, 8 rooms, $450; 180 Fulton street, 6 rooms, $375; Store and Dwelling, 10 Ferry street, $800; 50 Clark street, 5 rooms, [illegible]; 140 Elm street, [illegible]; [illegible] Store Room and Cellar, 24 [illegible] street, $600; Cherry alley, $120; State, [illegible] street, $180.
Apply to S. CUTHBERT & SON,
fe1 [illegible]

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STORES,
Small Dwellings, Halls,
ROOMS AND OFFICES.
Enquire of
W. H. LOWE,
OF GAZZAM & CO.,
fe1 Attorneys, 66 Fifth Avenue.

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OFFICES,
In Suits or Single Rooms, in their New Bank Building, corner of Fifth avenue and Wood street. The Building will be fully completed and ready for occupancy on the first of April, 1871.
de31:b93 J. D. SCULLY, Cash'er.

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WANTS.

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WANTED—SITUATION.—A strictly sober, steady, honest man wants a situation, can read and write. Six years good reference from last employer. Please address JOSEPH, GAZETTE office. fe14:m80

WANTED.—A gentleman and wife, and a limited number of single gentlemen can obtain boarding at No. 90 ANDERSON street, near Hadd street, Allegheny city. fe14:m85

WANTED.—Girls for the city and country, to do cooking, housework, &c.; several men and boys with reference want places. Apply at Employment Office, No. 1 Sixth street, (formerly St. Clair,) first door from Suspension Bridge, Pittsburgh, Pa.

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$30,000 to Loan in large or small amounts on property in Allegheny county at a fair rate of interest. CHARLES [illegible], Real Estate Agent, [illegible]

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WANTED.
MORTGAGES.
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FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—LAND.—100 acres beautiful land, seventeen miles from Pittsburgh and only 3 miles from Railroad, with comfortable buildings well fenced and watered, and in first-class condition. Price, $6,500. $4,000 cash. A great bargain and MUST be sold before April 1st.
McCORMICK & WARWICK.
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FOR SALE—FIRST-CLASS RESIDENCE.—On Ridge street, fronting the Park; large lots. The house has all the modern improvements, and fine stable and carriage house on the rear, fronting on a sixty foot street. This property is certainly one of the most desirable for location, &c., now in the market, and it is a rare opportunity to be able to secure so very desirable property in every respect. For further particulars inquire of C. H. LOVE, 58 Fourth avenue. fe14:m63-TTHS

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FOR SALE—CHEAP—A complete apparatus for making VINEGAR by an improved method. Also, a quantity of good Vinegar. Apply at 303 Liberty street, third floor, or address Box 315 P. O. fe8:m66

FOR SALE OR TO-LET.—House and Grounds in Fourteenth Ward, adjoining residence of T. B. Young.
A. M. BROWN,
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FOR SALE—Two Brick Houses and one Frame House with four rooms. Brick Houses containing six rooms, finished attic with gas and water, situated 305, 307 and 309 Sandusky street, Allegheny, will be sold cheap and on easy terms.
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FOR SALE OR RENT.—A number of good SECOND-HAND
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General Agents for the celebrated Estey Cottage Organs, No. 12 Sixth (late St. Clair) streets. fe8:m59

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JOHN W. RIDDELL,
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EXTRA No. 1 and No. 2 LARD OIL,
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Also, PRIME FAMILY LARD, in tierces, barrels and buckets, at lowest rates.
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FOR SALE—COAL WORKS.—700 Acres, Railroad, Houses, Pit Wagons, Mules, Tools, Boats and Fixtures in running order. Low for cash or trade, for property, or will lease the same; situated on the Ohio river. Other property of all kinds in the city. 20 acres with improvements, 16 miles on the Central Railroad; also, property in Sharpsburg and in the city and [illegible]. Enquire of
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FOR SALE.—A very desirable two story Frame Dwelling on Plank street, Mansfield, Pa., containing sixteen rooms, one of which is now in use as a Grocery Store, good location, doing a good business; will also sell stock to suit purchaser; good stone cellar under the whole, with a never-failing spring of water; also four Dwelling Houses, two with four rooms each, and two with three each, all well finished, with the necessary outbuildings, lots 20 by 140; present income ninety dollars per month. This is a very desirable property and will be sold on moderate terms. Apply to
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Lot 30 by 150, to a paved street in the rear.
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Money, in large and small amounts, to loan at reasonable rates.
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TUESDAY, FEB. 14, 1871.

HEADQUARTERS
REPUBLICAN STATE CENTRAL COMMITTEE
of Pennsylvania,
No. 1105 Chestnut Street,
PHILADELPHIA, January 23, 1871.

In pursuance of the Resolution of the Republican State Central Committee, adopted at Altoona, August 16, 1870, a State Convention, composed of delegates from each Senatorial and Representative District in the number to which each district is entitled in the Legislature, will meet in the Hall of the House of Representatives, at Harrisburg, at 12 o'clock, noon, on the 10th DAY of MARCH, A. D. 1871, to nominate candidates for Auditor General and Surveyor General, and to take action upon the question of Constitutional Reform, and for the transaction of such other business as may be brought before it.

MAHLON H. DICKINSON,
Chairman Executive Committee of State Central Committee.

GEORGE W. HAMERSLY, M. S. QUAY, JAMES W. M. NEWLIN, } Secretaries. ja27

GOLD closed in New York yesterday at 111⅛@11¼.

A NEW PARK project was introduced into the City Councils yesterday. Those having the matter in charge promise that it shall entail no great cost on tax-payers.

WE THANK our correspondent, I. C., for his article "Historical Inaccuracy," printed in another column. His knowledge of local history is a mine, from which we hope he will further enrich our columns.

A DECISION recently given in Cincinnati throws some security around newspapers. It was held that any one giving a local reporter an item for publication, which was afterwards discovered to be untrue and libelous, the party so giving the information to the reporter should be held liable.

THE CHARITY fund towards the relief of the poor sufferers from the late South Pittsburgh conflagration, is slowly growing into respectable proportions. Theirs is an immediate and pressing appeal for help, and our charitably disposed should act promptly and generously in the matter.

IT is stated that the joint commission for the settlement of the Fishery question and Alabama claims, will not meet until about the first of March. If it meets then, and works actively and energetically, and arrives in some reasonable period of time to a definite settlement, the public will rest satisfied.

THE divorce question is taking a prominent place in the legislation of all the States. True it is that Delaware is making herself prominent in favor of divorces but most of the States are making restrictions on the subject. Massachusetts has a bill introduced prohibiting divorced persons from marrying again within three years.

THERE are some slight indications that a minority of both Houses of Congress intend to make difficulty over the settlement of the Alabama claims. They have suddenly discovered that great delay may follow the action of the commission, and the claimants thereby suffer. It is certainly a curious objection after the long delay that has already occurred, and gives rise to the suspicion that there may be some personal reasons not yet divulged. More than one attempt has been made to foil the President in his endeavor to accomplish some great public good, and the true reason was that his opponents were afraid that there might be too much popularity gained thereby. It may be this is the secret reason in this instance.

THE Louisville *Courier-Journal* goes into ecstacies over the fact that the Legislature of Virginia has changed the title of "Washington College" to "Washington and Lee University." It says:

> And now, since it has been so greatly advanced in its material progress, and so hallowed and sanctified in the hearts and hopes of its friends by the patriotic devotion of the labors of the unselfish life of Robert E. Lee, it is most appropriately consecrated henceforth as the Washington and Lee University.

No great objections can be raised to the Legislature of Virginia calling the University whatever name it may please, but the effort of the *Journal* to draw Lee out of the mire by instituting favorable comparisons between him and Washington is a failure. Your cannot make a silk purse out of a sow's ear.

THE REPORT that the Armistice will be prolonged gathers confirmation daily. One reason for this may be that Prussia sees plainly, or at least believes so, that there is no chance for the Republic, but that a King will be elected. The friends of Count Paris are sanguine as to the result, and declare that his election is certain. The consent of Prussia to a prolongation of the Armistice, if any such consent has been given, does not indicate any such result. The movements of Bismarck throughout have been governed with a caution that has never failed to check-mate any Republican effort. He is just as clear sighted in this instance as he has been heretofore, and we are much mistaken if he intends an Orleanist to sit on the French throne. Rumor weeks ago was busy coupling the name of Bonaparte with the future ruler of France, and Bismarck was evidently in favor of such a termination to the war. We believe this will be the result, and this alone.

THE New York Senate has determined on making an investigation into the railroad accident at New Hamburgh. There cannot be much faith had in any investigation of the New York Senate, into any New York Railway accident, but we suppose the terrible tragedy must undergo the usual amount of talk and noise. One fact is clearly apparent. The white light allowed to burn on the bridge was the cause of the accident. It was this light that assured the Engineer of the Express that all was right. The man who should have been there to change the signal, was away off at a water tank, where he had been stationed by orders of those in authority. This alone is criminal. The white light indicating safety, should not be allowed to burn on a bridge without a hand close to it, to change it to the red light of danger, should necessity require it. Economy or meanness, whichever name suits the best, has destroyed many human lives, that otherwise might have been spared. In this the Hudson River Railroad cannot excuse its criminal neglect.

FRENCH ASSEMBLY.

The elections in France appear to confirm the conviction, that the extremists hold the reigns of government, more by reason of the disturbed condition of affairs, than through any love of the citizens. A disposition to accept the rule of energetic men who had seized power and held it with a grasp of iron, rather than to embroil the city with internal strife and dissension, is, we think, all that has kept Gambetta so long at the head of the government. We, on this side of the Atlantic, have judged this man with more justice than the actors in the tragedy. Yet we have ever found him unsafe as a leader, and always unreliable. From the time of the surrender of Sedan, his whole course has been marked with violent misrepresentation. He has done more to destroy the Republic, than any other man in France.

Nor has he been possessed so far as the history of the war is reported, with any keen perceptions fitting him for a leader at such a time as the present. His whole effort seems to have been to throw sops of comfort to men hungry for success, when he well knew success was impossible. A nation will rally around such a man for a time, but it will sooner or later discover his weaknesses and leave him with contempt. So early as January 25th the *Gaulois* entered its complaints against him, and the result of the late elections proves that it represented the general feeling.

Fifty four departments have been heard from with the result of eighty Republicans to three hundred and seven Bonapartists and Orleanists. It is true no doubt that Paris returns large Republican majorities, but the country seems bitterly opposed to a Republic.

The indications are at present that through bargain and sale the Bonaparte Dynasty will be restored. While the Orleanists will favor the Count of Paris, the Ultramontanes will not only favor the Count of Chambord, but should they fail to succeed will throw their votes for Imperialism. The Count of Chambord, and the Count of Paris have been each regarded as usurpers. Chambord, it will be remembered, is the only son of the Duke of Berry, born some seven months after his father was murdered. His birth destroyed the hopes of the Orleanists, and they did not scruple to declare that he was not of Bourbon blood at all. The marriage of Count Chambord has not been blessed with progeny, and it seems more than probable that the political inheritance of the Bourbons will pass at some future day to the Count of Paris, the grand-son of Louis Philippe. Many efforts have been made to unite these two branches, but they have hitherto failed, and it is not at all probable that there is any likelihood of success now.

On the contrary, so blitter is the feeling existing, that should the friends of Chambord see failure staring them in the face, they will beyond doubt, cast all their strength for the Bonapartes. This will give that dynasty a strength, that although it does not arise from love, and does proceed from anger, may be sufficient to restore Napoleon, or at least his family, to the throne. Prussia will prefer Napoleon to the Count of Paris. There is no love lost between Orleanists and Prussia, and while it may barely be possible that Prussia would be pleased over the election of Chambord, there is no doubt that Napoleon will be preferred to the Count of Paris.

STAY OF EXECUTION.

A bill has been introduced in the Legislature, relative to the stay of execution in the County of Allegheny. It provides that on and after the passage of this Act the stay of execution upon all judgments entered in the Court of Common Pleas and the District Court of the County of Allegheny shall be computed from the return day to which the original process issued was returnable.

Under the Act of 1836, which we believe is the present Act on the subject, the stay of execution is to be computed from the first day of the term to which the action was commenced. This is the general law of the State. If a suit be brought under this general law in the District Court of this County to the first Monday of February the defendant's stay would be computed from the fourth Monday of April. But if the same suit is brought in the same Court under the new Act he would lose three months of the indulgence extended to him. This it may be said is a matter of but little moment to a defendant, and does not work to his injury or disadvantage. This is true in very many cases where a cause is a full year in being tried and before final judgment is rendered, but we have objections to the bill, outside of this fact. While we know that it gives advantages to rascals and burthens honest men, yet it is not on this ground we raise objections. An honest defendant, who believes he has a good and righteous defence, will have his stay of execution limited, while a knave that simply desires to put a plaintiff to expense, can finally refuse to file his affidavit of defence and gain all the indulgence granted by the law.

Our objection however, is against special legislation. There is to-day a general law on this subject. There is no need for an exception to be taken in the County of Allegheny. Our statute books are loaded with special laws, that render it impossible for any man to judge what the law is in any other county than his own. There is no good that can be obtained by the passage of this bill. Whether it has been presented to serve some personal end we do not know, but where there is no reason for making a county an exceptional case from the general law, it should not be done. Why are the creditors of this county to be treated differently from the creditors of other portions of the State. What necessity is there for such a law.

The fact is, our Legislature is run too much on private ideas. It has gotten to be, that any prominent politician who has some sudden pet fancy, can sit down, write out a special bill, make it applicable to this county, and then it is to be passed by courtesy. The balance of all the citizens in the county know nothing about it until they learn perhaps by experience that it has become an existing law. In this way our Legislature has become a machine to grind out personal wishes, that nine times out of ten have no regard either for public desires or the public good. We hope this bill will be killed along with the rest of special legislation. We hope it will be defeated because it adds another local law to our county, uselessly, needlessly and we think unfairly. Our members have pledged themselves to reduce these local laws as far as possible. The opportunity in this instance is afforded them. Here is a bill, for which there is a general law fully adequate for all purposes, and it should not be tortured with local stabs that only weaken it, and do the public no good.

UPPER ST. CLAIR.

FEBRUARY 13, 1870.

DEAR GAZETTE: In reading over the old GAZETTE of last Friday I was more than surprised to see the action of some of our Representatives at Harrisburg on the Fee bill, and glad to see that the old *organ*, as she is called by her jealous competitors, is going to do her duty and expose every man that does not stand square up to the pledges given last fall. When your correspondent and several other Republicans of Upper St. Clair, rode day after day, over this and other townships, urging the Republicans not to be led astray by the clap-trap Reform preached by the *Commercial*, but, stand by the party, and reform inside of her, and carrying in our pockets the GAZETTE, with our nominees' pledges, printed in black and white, we little thought that some of them would go back on their words and the party.

The writer of this article made an enemy out of one of his former friends by telling him he uttered a falsehood by asserting the Republicans did not intend carrying out their pledges. Now, Messrs. Editors, the GAZETTE has a duty to perform, and we hope she will do it, without fear or favor. It was you who, day after day, promised us, who fought Reform outside of the party, that the Republicans were in favor of Reform, but the place to do it was inside of the party, not outside of it; that our members would favor Reform, and give us such reforms as would satisfy any good Republican. We now demand it shall be done. We demand of every man who signed the pledge that he carry it out in letter and spirit; and let me here say to any one of them who dares try to deceive the people on this, that he had better make his peace, politically speaking, so far as the South Side is concerned, for not a man of them will stand a ghost of a chance in this neighborhood for any further favors. The GAZETTE, who stood by these men last fall, should be as determined against them as she was for them, if they don't do as they promised. Do your duty, gentlemen, though the heavens fall, and the Republicans of Allegheny county will stand by you in the future as they always have done in the past. C.

HISTORICAL INACCURACY.

EDITORS GAZETTE: It is only lately that I have had an opportunity to examine Lossing's "Life and Times of Philip Schuyler," a work well gotten up and of considerable merit. I was, however, much surprised at reading the following on page 142, vol. 1: "Abercrombee, assisted by Lord Howe, whom Pitt had chosen as 'the soul of the enterprise,' was to lead an army by way of Albany to attack the French on Lake Champlain, while General *Joseph* Forbes was commissioned to lead another army over the Allegheny mountains to capture Fort Duquesne." Gen. Forbes' first name was *John*, not Joseph; and on reading this I naturally supposed it was a mistake of the printer; but on page 159 of the same volume I find the mistake repeated. I cannot understand how a writer so genenally accurate as Mr. Lossing should have made this mistake. There are some other inaccuracies, only one of which I will notice, on account of its being a very common error.

On page 161 he says "a detachment of four hundred and fifty men were left to *repair and garrison the fort*, and the remainder of the army hastened back to winter quarters." Fort Du Quesne was never repaired nor was there ever a fort built on the same site. A map made by R. Ratzer, the engineer who laid out the English fortifications shows the locations of all the forts; that built by Forbes which was afterwards known as the "first Fort Pitt" was on the Monongahela river some distance above the foot of Liberty street; while Fort Du Quesne was at the extreme point and below the foot of Penn street. The "first Fort Pitt" was a mere temporary work to accommodate two hundred men. It was not until this fort was completed that General Forbes and the army returned to the east, leaving Colonel Hugh Mercer in command with *two hundred men*.

Forbes arrived in Piladelphia January 17, 1759, and died there March 11th, the same year. On the 14th his remains were interred in the chancel of Christ Church; but no memorial of any kind marks the spot—a fact not creditable to Philadelphia or the State.

In the summer of 1759, Gen. Stanwix came out and built a very formidable fort which cost sixty thousand pounds sterling. The main works of this fort were situated between the site of Fort Duquesne and the first Fort Pitt, its outworks extending over the site of the first Fort Pitt.

I. C.

Allegheny City, Feb. 1, 1871.

FOREIGN CORRESPONDENCE.

Speculations About Paris--King John of Saxony--Christmas in Dresden--Prisoners' Holiday--Attempted Revolt--Off for the Seat of War--Extraordinary Weather--Dearth of Coal--Reception by the Consul--German Waiters.

[Correspondence of Pittsburgh Gazette.]

DRESDEN, SAXONY, Jan. 20, 1870.

Six weeks ago I stood at my window and witnessed a long train of ambulances and fodder wagons passing slowly. I made inquiry as to their destination and purpose, and when the response came, "*Nach Paris*," I thought it rather strange such a long journey should be undertaken now, for surely the city will capitulate before they get into France. Six weeks ago a prominent and wealthy banker of Dresden had his establishment covered with curious little gas jets, forming appropriate mottoes and figures, for he intended to make a good show when the French capital surrendered, and he had it done hastily, too, as the event would certainly happen in a very short time, and he must be in readiness. The authorities placed flag-staffs from the domes and spires of cathedrals and palaces, for they must also honor the capitulation by waving the banner of the Fatherland as high up in the air as possible. But six weeks have passed; the wagons, I presume, have ere this time reached the front, and doubtless rendered valuable aid at the recent sorties before Paris. The little gas jets have long since been covered with snow and ice, and the flag-staffs shiver and rattle from their dizzy heights as if tired waiting. But no capitulation of the beleaguered city yet. I merely make these few remarks to show you how sanguine the Germans were of the downfall of Paris more than a month ago.

SPECULATIONS ABOUT PARIS.

We read of the horrors attending the siege, of the dreadful sorties and great losses on both sides. We hear of the darkness and famine in the city, and how that class of animals usually considered "unclean" by civilized people, is voraciously eaten through the pangs of hunger; of ingenious rat-traps the number of vile rodents captured, and how palatable they are becoming. Then we read of great stores of provisions being heaped together at Versailles to meet the exigencies following a surrender; while other rumors tell of an underground railway supplying all the wants of the capital—and so long as that remains undiscovered, Paris will not think of giving up. In fact so many, and conflicting are the reports, it is rather hard for the outside world to arrive at any conclusion as to the real state of existing affairs. Any how Paris says "not yet." Present appearances seem to indicate a bombardment of the city. Bismarck's starving-out plan did not prove so effective as was looked for, and the Germans, now tired of waiting outside, think a plan of procedure, not so mild as the former, will in all probability bring the besieged to a realization of their desolate position and the utter uselessness of further resistance. Yet it is hoped a bombardment of the city proper will not be resorted to, but that after a reduction of the fortresses, a few shells dropped in the Boulevards, will act as a telling agency in bringing about terms of peace.

KING JOHN.

The birthday of the King of Saxony passed off some weeks ago. It was celebrated through the city somewhat like the advent of that young prince, recorded in my last letter, probably on a little larger scale, not really a holliday, but the city looked quite pretty, attired with its lighted windows and trailing flags. In the evening numerous entertainments and extra concerts were given, and large masses turned out, for it was the seventieth natal day of their king. The present King of Saxony is one of the most accomplished of the crowned heads of Europe. He is the author of several celebrated works; has given to the German language the best translation of Dante, and in former years composed a series of Italian poems, having written under the assumed name of *Philalethes*, and is a lover of literature and the fine arts generally. The latter trait he certainly evinces in the great interest he has taken in the Dresden gallery, as it has received at his hands many munificent donations in gems of art, of almost incalculable worth. He gives away yearly a great deal of money to the poor of Saxony and the various charitable institutions in and around Dresden, making him by all an honored and respected King. Surely such a man must have disliked to take part in the present terrible war, but having felt compelled to do so, he has done it well. He is too far advanced in years to enter the field personally, but has sent his sons, the Crown Prince of Saxony (Prince Albert), and Prince George, both of whom have greatly distinguished themselves within the last few months.

CHRISTMAS IN DRESDEN.

When we speak of the German Christmas it almost seems a term, in itself, expressive of real enjoyment and merry-making. We read of their peculiar celebration; of the old time merriment at the blazing hearth where mirth and laughter reigned supreme; of the yule log and the many other festivities of past ages. The German Christmas of to-day furnishes merriment of no less interest and has features which I think the most cynical could not but look upon with great interest. The Germans celebrate two days for Christmas, the mornings of both are usually devoted to religious exercises in all churches, and the afternoons and evenings are given up to their enjoyments, these I will not be able to describe in detail. The first two days of the new year are also holidays. The cities of Germany saddened over the losses of an unhappy and disastrous war, of course, could not exert themselves, or take much heart in celebrating the yearly holidays in the accustomed manner. At least it was so with the Saxon capital; whose streets were full of prisoners from another nation and these, by the way, appeared sad enough, as they wandered about gazing into the store windows. News was arriving every day of the loss of many brave Saxons in the recent sorties before Paris, so on this account, though there was a great deal going on of interest, I was assured that Dresden's late holliday attire, and festivities generally, were not what marked Christmas in more peaceful times.

THE PRISONER'S CHRISTMAS

At the barracks the French prisoners had quite a jolly time to themselves; there was a general suspension of work, and all tried to be merry. A great many made one another presents of various descriptions, and those whose finances wouldn't admit of a "bought" present, endeavored to bring their ingenuity into practice, and made canes with serpent's twining around the stalk, very nicely cut, cigar cases, and many other smaller articles too numerous to mention. These I presume they will carry home with them as little souvenirs of the unfortunate Christmas in 1870. The authorities gave them an extra good dinner, which they all enjoyed, of course, and the most of the day they spent in their many sports. While I am speaking of the prisoners I may remark further, those in the barracks are comfortably housed for the winter, although their clothing looks very thin and scant, and they apparently suffer a great deal during the present cold weather when they go out to work under guard.

FUTILE ATTEMPT AT REVOLT.

An attempt was made to revolt some weeks ago, but the plot was discovered before it had assumed any great proportions, and immediately broken up. It appears they had been furnished, in some unknown way, with a large lot of small firearms, and thought if the barracks were once opened it would not be difficult to effect an escape into Austria. But this one unsuccessful attempt will likely silence them in the future. The officers in the city still step around very leisurely, some of them having acquired a taste for beer, figure quite extensively in the large saloons, where they may occasionally be seen making the matter up with blonde-haired German girls. Two officers, of high standing got tired of their honor a few days ago, broke their paroles and skipped for parts unknown. Another detachment of prisoners, 15,000 in number, will be sent to Saxony in a short time. This addition, with the number now here, will foot up an aggregate of 35,000 prisoners of war at Dresden—a few thousand more than the present army of the United States.

DEPARTURES FOR FRANCE.

If there is an occasion when the truly loyal citizen is filled with love for his country, it is when he witnesses the sons of his native city leaving their homes and friends to go out to the battle field, amid loud hurrahs, farewells and tears, and the singing of a national anthem. It is then the whole being is filled with patriotism, and if their be one spark of loyal ardor, I think it will show itself on an occasion of this kind. On the 22d of December 2,000 Saxons left Dresden for France. It would be rather difficult for me to picture the many sorrowful and touching scenes that took place in that large railway station on the day these troops left the city—or probably there would be no use in my attempting to do so. It would require no amount of ornamental exaggeration to tell of many sad and harrowing farewells, which were but natural, and can better be imagined than described. In this departure there appeared something unusually sad. Soldiers were leaving their homes for war, just at the happy holidays, when they would most willingly remain with family and friends to celebrate the festal season of the year. Many poor peasants, as well as those in much higher stations of life, thronged the vast station and remained by the side of son or husband, till the parting moment came, and then that scene of which I speak above, when all cheered lustily and the trains slowly moved off with their inmates singing "Watch at the Rhine."

A very short time has elapsed since that scene of enthusiasm and sorrow was enacted at the Dresden Station, but with many of those fellows who departed then, both rich and poor, it has already proven a farewell forever.

REMARKABLE WINTER SCARCITY OF COAL.

The present winter in Saxony, I am told, is one of unusual severity, the excessively cold weather and continued snow have not been experienced for many years past. The snow has now been with us since the early part of December, and the roads have been frozen tight since that time. All vehicles seem to have discarded their wheels for runners, from the great omnibus down to the dog-cart of the peasant, and the streets are filled with the continual sound of jingling sleigh-bells. In connection with the severe weather there is a great scarcity of coal throughout the country, and the high price of the article, causes much suffering among the poorer classes. The cause is mainly attributed to a want of men for working the mines, the war having called most all of them away, and the cars are at present very much needed by the government also. The Elbe river is not navigable on account of the ice, and that prevents a transportation from the Bohemian mines. This great demand for fuel has brought the manufacturing business to a sudden stop within the last few days. All the larger establishments of Chemnitz, Leipsic and Dresden, have been compelled to close up and discharge their workmen. They will now have to await the end of the war or a break up in the rivers—rather hard to conjecture which will come first. This state of affairs has caused much trouble, and is greatly to be regretted, for business generally has been quite good, and there is usually an abundance of coal all through Saxony.

RECEPTION AT THE U. S. CONSULATE.

Every winter finds Dresden with a large number of persons from every part of the United States, who come hither to enjoy the opportunity for retired study, or pleasure offered by the city, and to relieve any monotony that might arise from a winter's residence among a strange people, our Consul very kindly gives a series of entertainments throughout the season, which brings all together and generally a very enjoyable time is experienced. The American Consul gave his first levee during Christmas week, in the large apartments of the Hotel Bellevue, where he resides and has his official quarters. This gentleman, I must add, is a good representative of a genuine American, and always appears happy when entertaining his countrymen, or lending aid to them in any way whatever. Of course the receptions are quite popular, and the first one was largely attended by the beauty and fashion of American society in Dresden. This happy gathering probably deserves a little more than a passing glance in my letter, or the usual "pleasant affair." But I would not attempt to mention the names of all those assembled, representing the four quarters of the Union, nor can I go into a lengthy dissertation on the satins, silks, velvets or tulles, bobbinett, frills, ruffles, hernanis and the numerous host of other paraphernalia, that serves to complete the toilet of the American lady, and makes one wish for a "Webster's Unabridged" to see what they all really do mean. I am not a connoisseur by any means in the attire of the sex I have just referred to, so that I have but to remark that it was very rich, and in some cases gay. American belles usually display good taste in their appearance at receptions of this kind, and surely the various styles displayed on the evening I speak of were commendable in every regard.

"SWALLOW-TAIL" WAITERS.

When I turn to the opposite side of the house, and tell of those arrayed in black—and with all due respect for the broad cloth of the American, as it was represented nobly—I am loth to confess it was thrown a little in the shade on that particular evening. Perhaps it is not necessary for me to remark that the garb of all hotel and restaurant waiters in Germany is the same as the evening party dress of an American gentleman, and they educate themselves to be very polite and tasty in appearance when officiating in their chosen profession. Yes, the *kazellners* that evening had sleek broadcloth dress coats, a good display of linen, with accompanying tiny gold buttons and white cravats. But I thought I had him to correspond exactly—I remember now his white gloves were *cotton*. Nevertheless, with his hands concealed he might have readily been taken for a guest of the evening, and a person had to look twice upon the one whom he called upon for service. Yet, with all their finery, nobody made any complaint, for they were ever attentive to the wants and calls of those around them, and flitted about the rooms with much apparent satisfaction to know they could don swallow-tails as well as the Americans.

The large parlors offered fine places for dancing. The music was enlivening, and all entered into the amusement with a hearty good will. The German refreshments and delicacies, served up in an adjoining apartment, were subjected to a pretty vigorous test but appeared to take well—and all went merry at the Bellevue. How pleasant it is to meet Americans in a foreign country at a scene of this kind; when we can speak a language common to all, think and feel the same, can talk of the Great Republic beyond the sea, and compare its Government institutions and progress to that of the land in which we sojourn. The Consul's reception was indeed a happy gathering, greatly enjoyed by those who were there, and all abandoned the evening's pleasures, thinking it was a good thing to attend an American banquet in Germany. J. V. L.

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THE DAILY GAZETTE.

MONEY AND COMMERCE.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, MONDAY, February 13, 1871.

The loan demand to-day was so far as came under our notice, less urgent than at the opening of the previous week, but yet large enough to swallow up bank balances in double quick time. Outside of bank there was but little doing. The loans made, were upon the rates current the previous week, i. e. from 8@10 per cent. four to six months paper with approved collaterals.

The local stock market was inactive. Sales reported of Allegheny Valley Bonds at 39¼ flat.

Connellsville 7's at 89½, and accrued interest.

No transition in bank shares.

There was some inquiry for Columbia Oil Stock, but no quotations were made.

Robinson Bros., No. 78 Fourth avenue, furnish the following comparative quotations of bonds and stocks, from their latest advices:

	Saturday.	Monday.
Bonds—1881	114¾	114¾
5-20—1862	112¾	112¾
" 1864	111¾	111¾
" 1865	111¾	111¾
" 1865 new	110	110
" 1867	110	110
" 1868	110	110
10-40s	110	110
Currency 6's	112¾	112¾
Gold	111¾	111¾

RAILWAYS.

New York Central	94¾	94¾
Do Scrip	90	90
Erie	21	21
Reading	98¾	98¾
Lake Shore	91¾	91¾
Cleveland & Pittsburgh	106¾	106¾
Rock Island	107	107¾
Chicago & N. W.	75¾	75¾
Do. Preferred	85¾	85¾
St. Paul, Common	56¾	56¾
Do. Preferred	74	74
Wabash	52¾	52¾
Do. Preferred	75	75
Ohio & Mississippi	36¾	36¾
Pacific Mail	42¾	42¾
West. Union Telegraph	46¾	46¾
Adams Express	66¾	66¾
U. S. Express	48¾	48¾

Closing quotations as received by James T. Brady & Co.:

Gold	111¾	5-20Jan. & Jy. '65	110¾
U. S. 6s, 1881	114¾	5-20Jan. & Jy. '67	110¾
U. S. 5-20 1862	112¾	5-20Jan. & Jy. '68	110¾
U. S. 5-20 1864	111¾	U. P. R. R.	79¾
U. S. 5-20 1865	111¾	C. P. R. R.	91¾
U. S. 10-40s	110¾	Cy. Pacifics	112¾

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

New York, Feb. 13, 1871.

Dullness is the prevailing feature of all markets, though considerable strength in prices is shown. All business in gold was between 111¾@111¾, closing steady at the latter price. Loans were made at from 3 to 5 per cent. Clearings $51,000,000. Governments steady, but closed a fraction off from the highest prices of the day. Stocks dull, but strong—the principal dealings in Lake Shore, Erie, St. Paul, Northwestern, Central and Union Pacific. Bonds very strong. Money easy at 4@5 per cent. State bonds dull and steady, except Tennessees, which are strong and active.

Sterling exchange 9¾.

GOVERNMENTS—Coupons, 1881, 114¾; 5-20's of '62, do '64, 111¾; new do '65, 110¾; new do '67, 110¾; new do '68, 110¾; 10-40s, 110¾; currency 6s, 112¾.

STATE BONDS—Missouri 90¾; Tennessees 64¾; do new 64¾; Virginia 62; do old 65¾; North Carolina 46; do new 25.

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PITTSBURGH MARKET.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, MONDAY, February 13, 1871.

APPLES—There is a continued steady demand and we can report regular sales at $4,00 @4,50 for fair to good and $5,00 for choice.

APPLE BUTTER—The demand is better but prices remain unchanged, 70@75 per gallon, for good to choice.

ASHES—Common Soda Ash, 4 cts: Refined do 4½; Pearl Ash, 9½; Potash, 7½.

BUTTER—There is some inquiry for the better grades, but common and interior is very dull and in good supply. We now quote at 30@35 for fair to strictly prime.

BEANS—Demand rather better, but there is no change in prices, $1,50@2,00 per bushel.

BROOM CORN—4@8 cts and dull.

BEESWAX—Small sales at 30@33c.

BUCKWHEAT FLOUR—3@3½ cts.

CHEESE—New York Goshen quoted 16@17; Ohio Goshen at 16; Factory, 16@16½; Western Reserve, 13@14.

CORNMEAL—Is quoted at 85 per bushel, for small lots in store.

CARBON OIL—Is steady but unchanged, 23@25 cts. for standard brands in a jobbing way.

CEMENT—Sales Louisville Hydraulic at $2,00 and Calcined Plaster at $2¾ per bbl.

COAL—Sales of Anthracite at $8@9 per ton by the car load, delivered.

CRANBERRIES—In fair demand but there is a continued wide range in prices, $12@16 per bbl.

DRIED FRUIT—Peaches firmer and generally quoted higher; quarters, 9@9½; mixed, 10@11; halves, 11@12¾. Apples, 6@7 cts for ordinary, and 8½@9 for sliced. Blackberries, 14@15.

EGGS—The receipts continue liberal for the season and the market is weak and drooping. Strictly fresh cannot be quoted above 25 cts. [illegible]

FLOUR—Is steadier under the influence of the advices from the west, though the market is quiet and prices unchanged. We continue to quote at $6,75@7,00 for red winter wheat; $7,25@7,50 for white wheat; $6,75@7,00 for spring wheat, and $7,25 for choice Minnesota baker's flour. Rye flour, $5,75@6,00, and firmer.

FEATHERS—We are reported sales of No 1 live geese feathers, to the trade, at 75; may be quoted at 80 in small lots.

GRAIN—Wheat is firmer, notwithstanding there is no improvement in the demand in this market, but holders are impressed with the belief that the bottom has been touched, and that the indications point to a higher range of prices; we continue to quote at $1,30 @1,35 for red, and $1,40@1,45 for white. Oats, firm and in limited supply, though the demand is only fair and prices remain unchanged; 47@48 buying, and 50@52 selling—small lots, in store, 53@55. Corn, notwithstanding the supply is by no means large, is dull, particularly in round lots; the demand is mainly for small lots; quotations may be fairly given, in ear load lots at 65@67 for mixed to prime yellow, and 70@72 in a jobbing way. Rye is in demand, and the receipts continue very light and this market is almost bare; we continue to quote at 95@1,00—sale 400 bushels, to be delivered free on board car, at $1,00, cash. Barley is quiet and unchanged; 85@95 for spring, and 1,00@1,10 for fall.

COFFEE—Rio, active and with light stocks at all points holders are firm in their views. Buyers, however, are still operating cautiously, except for immediate wants. [illegible] The prices in job lots in New York and Baltimore are:

For Ordinary	15¾@16¾	Gold
" Fair	16¾@17¾	
" Good	17¾@18¾	
" Prime	18¾@19¾	
" Choice to Fancy	19¾@20¾	

STOCK OF RIO IN THE UNITED STATES.

New York	[illegible]	bags.
Baltimore	[illegible]	"
Charleston	[illegible]	"
Galveston	[illegible]	"
Savannah	[illegible]	"
Mobile	[illegible]	"
New Orleans	[illegible]	"

The stock in this market is small and held firmly at our quotations.

SUGARS—Are in good request at an advance in Demerara and New Orleans of [illegible] [illegible]

many years. It is not easy to say what the sugar market will uncover a month hence—just now it has a doubtful tone.

MOLASSES—New Orleans molasses are coming in freely, and at our quotations for prime and choice are not being pushed by holders, who are of the opinion that these descriptions, cannot be replaced at the same figures under the present limited supply. The market, therefore, is in favor of buyers, as the following prices from a late circular of Small & Co; in New Orleans, will clearly indicate:

Inferior	30@33
Common	35@38
Good	40@50
Prime	55@57
Choice	58@60

In the eastern cities, especially in New York, New Orleans molasses is in large supply but the quality is poor—consequently an eastern demand, like that of last year, will probably be made on holders of prime and choice lots in this market, late in the season, on which will be realized large profits on the ruling prices of to-day. Old crop foreign molasses is entirely neglected in the eastern markets, and operators are unable to settle on prices for the incoming crop, which will undoubtedly rule low. It is safe to predict that, at the prices of to-day, prime and choice New Orleans molasses is the best stock in "sweets" to carry through the summer profitably.

SYRUPS—Prices are off a little, for all grades, and unsettled.

RICE—Carolina is scarce and held firmly at our quotations. In fact both foreign and domestic are selling in our market lower than they can well be replaced, we look for better supplies soon, but at higher prices for Carolina.

HAY—Is being sold from country wagons at $12@18 per ton.

HONEY—Sales at 30@35 cts.

HOMINY—Common, $5,00@5,50 per bbl; Pearl, $6 25.

HUSKS—Sales at 3@3¾ cts.

HIDES—Green salted (all weights) 10¾@11¾; green butchers (cow and steer) 7@8; green salted kip 14@16; do calf, 16@18. Dry [illegible]

LIME—Sales of Cleveland at $1,25 per bbl and eastern at $1,75.

MILL FEED—The receipts for some weeks past have been comparatively light and while, in consequence, the market is a shade firmer, there is, as yet, no improvement in prices.

ONIONS—In good demand, and the supply is very much reduced; sales at $4@5 per bbl. according to quality and size of barrel.

OILS—No 1 lard $1,05@1,10; No 2, 78; Pure; Labrador cod oil 70@75; straits, 65; bank, 60c.

PROVISIONS—Market firm and fairly active, though there is not much change to make in quotations. Plain Shoulders, 10¾; Sugar Cured, 11¾; Ribbed Sides, 12¾; Clear do, 13¾@13¾; Sugar Cured Hams, 16¾; Breakfast Bacon, 15@15¾; Dried Beef, 19. Lard, prime kettle, in tcs, 13¾, in kegs and buckets, 14. Mess Pork, $22.50@23.50.

POTATOES—The market is quiet and the demand almost entirely for small lots, but with a light supply, prices are maintained, $1,20@1,25 per bushel.

PEANUTS—Sales at 6¾@8 cts.

POULTRY—Market is almost bare, though the demand is by no means active: dressed Chickens may be quoted at 13@15, and Turkeys at 16@18.

RAGS—Quoted at 4@4¾.

SALT—Is quoted at $1,60@1,65 by the car load, with the usual advance for small lots in store.

SEEDS—The market for both Clover and Timothy is considerably stronger, and we advance our quotations 25 cents per bushel; $7,00 @7,50 for the former, and $6,00@6,50 for the latter. Flaxseed is unchanged at $2,15@2,15, and but little offering.

SUMAC—Sales Tennessee Sumac at 4¾ cts.

TALLOW—Rendered, at 8¾@8¾c.

WILLOWS—Sales Kentucky willows at 10.

ALLEGHENY CATTLE MARKET.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, MONDAY, February 13, 1871.

Following shows the number of cattle on sale, the points at which they were shipped, and the names of the shippers:

L. & J. Shamberg, Chicago	3 cars
Keefer & Kahn, Chicago	4 cars
Shamberg & Haas, Chicago	1 car
S. Marks & Bro., Chicago	3 cars
S. Kraus, Chicago	2 cars
Colden & Campbell, Chicago	3 cars
Haas & Lowenstein, Chicago	1 car
L. Rothchilds, Chicago	1 car
L. Rothchild & Shamberg, Chicago	1 car
Greenwald & Kahn Chicago	1 car
E. Katz, Chicago	1 car
M. Varner, Chicago	2 cars
J. & S. Needy, Chicago	1 car
Traurman & Lobman, Chicago	4 cars
Frost & Ward, Indianapolis	1 car
Alex Ward, Ind	1 car
J. C. Miller, Ind	1 car
S. Marks & Bro., Cin	1 car
R. S. Keyes, Mansfield	1 car
J. Sears, Salem	1 car
J. W. Unger, Canton, mixed	1 car
L. M. Stanly, Damascus	1 car
Prepaid, C. & P. RR	3 cars
Total	41
Total last week	40

CATTLE.

In addition to the 41 cars of western cattle there were at least three loads in from the adjoining country, making in all 44 cars or about 775 head. The market was fairly active, as the butchers generally bought pretty liberally, but, in regard to prices, there is little or no change; an attempt was made early in the day to establish a slight advance, but it wouldn't take, the butchers couldn't see it. The market was too well supplied for anything of this kind, and then, again, there were no outside buyers for good cattle, and consequently, the drovers either had to sell to the butchers or not sell at all.

There was again some inquiry for stock cattle, and but very few of this kind on sale. Drovers allege that stockers are higher relatively in the west than here and that there is no margin in handling them. We were reported a sale to-day of good 900 stockers at 4¾c; buyers generally do not want to pay over 4¾@5.

Keefer & Beyer 36 mixed western steers, at 5¾@7¾.

J. W. Unger 11 springers and fresh cows at an average of $55 per head.

S. Kaufman 4 head Washington Co. steers, at 6¾.

Rothchilds & Zeigler 36 from Chicago and 17 from Washington Co., at 6@7 cts.

E. Katz 17 head of good to prime steers, at 6¾@7¾.

M. Varner 38 head of fair to prime Chicago stock, at 5¾@7¾.

M. Kraus 42 head of mixed western stock, at 6@7.10.

S. Shamberg & Haas 22 head steers, at 6.37@7.25; 12 good bulls, at 4.75@6.12¾.

J. & S. Needy 1 car from Ohio, and 1 car from Chicago, at 6@7¾.

Greenwald & Kahn 64 fair to prime steers, at 6@7¾.

Traurman & Lobman 78 head mixed Chicago stock, at 6@7¾—15 left over.

Carr & McAllister 80 head mixed stock from Illinois, at 5@7¾.

SHEEP.

The supply of sheep although not large, was considerably larger than that of last week, footing up about 1,140 head. The offerings were mainly of the better grades, and notwithstanding the increased offerings, the market was fairly active and last week's prices were fully maintained. Good to prime 100 lb sheep may be quoted at 5@5¾, and extra at higher figures at 5@5¾. Scalawags $1,50@2,50 per head.

J. W. Unger wholesaled 25, averaging 80 lbs, at 5 cts per lb.

John Walters wholesaled 104 head good Butler County sheep averaging 100 lbs at 6¾c.

M. Flinner, 125 mixed Butler Co stock, retailed at 6@6 cts.

Elliott wholesaled 62 head of fair Ohio sheep averaging 85 lbs, to Adam Eckert, at 5¾cts.

John Drum reports 150 head of fair to prime, retailed at 5¾@6¾ cts.

David Fry reports 51 head of common sheep and lambs at $2,50@3,00 per head.

J. F. Albers 45 head of mixed Lawrence Co sheep at $2,75@3,50 per head.

Snee & Chamberlain, 50 head common stock sheep, at $2,50@3,00 per head.

Bamford & Co., 125 from Fayette Co, at $2,00 per head to 6 cts per lb.

Neely & McMillan wholesaled 40 scalawags to Richter, at $2 per head; retailed 140 head at $3,00@3,50 per head.

Robert Kincaid sold 40 to W. Neely at $2.25 per head; 75 averaging 90¾ lbs at $5,50; balance 50 sold at $3,00@4,00.

HOGS.

The supply was not large, though it was about equal to the demand, and prices are about the same as last week; may be quoted in a retail way at 8@8¾.

PETROLEUM MARKET.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, MONDAY, February 13, 1871.

The oil market was again very quiet to-day, the volume of business having been unusually small and what is worse still, lies in the fact that the prospects at present are not very favorable for an immediate improvement. So long as oil is worth more relatively in the producing regions than it is here, trade must of necessity drag; refiners cannot even pay present prices, let alone an advance, and it must advance here or decline above, before there can be any business. It is true, there has been a decline in the producing regions within the past few days, but prices are too much inflated there to admit of shipments to Pittsburgh; and, then, again, as it drops there, it will probably drop here, so that the obstacle to which we have above referred, remains undisturbed. There are but few, if any, buyers here at present quotations, and the producers seem determined to sustain the market on the creek as long as they can. It is only a question of time, however; they must unload sometime, sooner or later, and the dodge of unloading on one another, which we understand, has been practiced to some extent of late, will soon play out. However unpleasant it may be, the producers will be obliged to submit to that inflexible law of supply and demand. They will not be able to unload until they are satisfied to accept such prices as consumers can afford to pay; that refiners cannot stand the prices is evident from the fact that but few, very few, of them are buying. Combinations, may, for a time, be able to control the market, to inflate prices and keep them inflated, but, as experience has demonstrated, there is an end to bull movements in oil, as there is in all movements of this character.

CRUDE.

Market quiet and weak—not a single sale reported. Spot quoted at 11¾@12; seller February, 11¾@11¾; seller till July, 11@11¾; buyer same time, 12.

REFINED.

Market weak and dull, though, as compared with Saturday, there is not much change in prices. But a single sale reported, 1,500 bbls February, at 24¾. Futures remain about as last quoted.

OIL SHIPPED EAST PER A. V. R. R. & W. P. R. R.

Fawcett, Logan, Stockdale & Co. 300 bbls refined oil to Logan, Bros & Co., Phila.

Wm. McKelvey & Co., 506 bbls ref. oil to Logan Bros & Co., Phila.

Standard Oil Co., 306 bbls ref. oil to Warden, F. & Co., Phila.

Total ... 1,102 bbls.

OIL SHIPPED EAST PER WEST PENN R. R.

Elkins, Bly & Co. 150 bbls refined to W. Baldwin & Co., Phila.

RECEIPTS CRUDE OIL.

Payne & Abbott, 88, account T Chess; Citizens O W 85, account T Hackett; Coml O W 83, account Bates & G; Penn O W 85, account Duncan & Young; Lockhart, F & Co, 160.

Total ... 355 bbls.

[By P. & A. Telegraph Line.]

PHILADELPHIA, February 13, 12 M.—Crude 13¾c. Refined: February 24¾c, 24¾c asked; March 24¾c asked; 24¾c bid; March and April 25¾c; May 25¾c; June 25¾c.

3 P. M.—Crude 13¾c. Refined: February 24¾c bid, 24¾c asked; March 24¾c; March and June 25¾c asked; May 25¾c bid; 2,000 bbls February 24¾c; 1,000 bbls March 25c.

PHILADELPHIA, February 11, 5 P. M.—February 24¾c; March 25c; April 25¾c; May 25¾c; June 25¾c; March and June 25¾c. Crude 13¾ @14c.

NEW YORK, February 13—12 M.—Market—bulk crude quiet and dull at 15c; refined quiet and nominal; price 25¾c to 25¾c.

3 P. M. Market very dull and quiet and prices nominal and unchanged. Nothing done.

PETROLEUM CENTRE, February 13—11:15 A. M.—Market dull and nothing doing. Oil worth from $4,45 to 4,50; no buyers or sellers.

ROUSEVILLE, February 13—11:30 A. M.—Market very quiet and nothing doing; buyers offering $4.40, but sellers holding for $4,60 to 4,75; no sales.

TIDIOUTE, February 13—11 A. M.—Market quiet but firm and nominally at $4,50@4,60.

TITUSVILLE, February 13—11 A. M.—Market quiet and dull, with nothing doing; offering $4,30 for spot; asking $4,35@4,40.

PLEASANTVILLE, February 13—11.15 A. M.—Market quiet at $4.05 offering.

PARKERS, February 13—11 A. M.—No market here this morning.

Markets by Telegraph.

Chicago.

CHICAGO, February 13, 1871.

EXCHANGE—Unchanged.

FLOUR—Dull.

WHEAT—No. 2 spring dull and declined 1@1¼c, and closed quiet at $1,23 cash; $1,24 seller March; this afternoon the market was dull and unchanged.

CORN—No. 2 mixed quiet at 51c cash; 51¾c seller March; this afternoon the market was dull.

OATS—No. 2 active and advanced ¾@1c, and closed firm at 48@48¾c.

RYE—No. 2 firmer at 89c.

BARLEY—No. 2 firmer at 82c.

HIGHWINES—Firm at 86¾c.

PROVISIONS—Firmer.

MESS PORK—$22.50@22.62 cash; $22,75@22,87 seller March; $23.25 seller April.

LARD—12¾@12¾c cash.

SHOULDERS—Green 7¾@8c; dry salted 8@8¾c.

HOGS—Dressed 5@10c higher and closed at $8,80@8,85; live active and firmer, and 10@15c higher $7@7,25.

CATTLE—Dull at $4,45@6.87.

RECEIPTS—Hogs, 12,000.

SHIPMENTS—Hogs, 5,000.

New York.

NEW YORK, February 13.—Cotton steady, with middling uplands at 15¾c. Flour dull but unchanged, with superfine western State at $6.25@6,40; common to good extra $6,75@7; good to choice $7@7.35; white western extra $7.35@7.85; Ohio $6.95@7.60; St. Louis $7@8,75. Rye Flour $4,75@6.35. Whiskey steady at 93¾c. Wheat dull and nominal, with new spring at $1,53¾@1,57; red amber $1,58@1,61, white Michigan $1,72. Rye, Barley and Malt unchanged. Corn scarce and firm, with mixed western at 85@85¾c; yellow 85@86c. Oats active and advanced, with sales western Ohio at 65@69c. Hay $120@130 for shipping and $125@140 at retail. Coffee firm, with Rio at 13¾@16¾c. Sugar firm, with Cuba at 9¾@9¾c. Molasses—sales of New Orleans at 58@65c. Rice—sales at 7¾@8¾c. Petroleum—sales of crude at 15c and refined at 25¾c. Mess pork: new $22,87@23; old $22@22.25; prime $19,50@20; prime mess, new $22,50@23; March $23; six months $22,75. Beef steady: mess 10@15c; extra 15@17¾c. Hams 30@31c; prime mess 26@28c; India 30@32c; cut meats firm; hams 14@15c; shoulders 9@10c; middles firmer. Lard active; prime steam 12¾@13¾c; kettle dried 13¾; March 13¾c. Butter steady, 15@25c; western 22@40. State cheese dull but unchanged, 12@16c.

Latest—Flour dull but unchanged. Wheat; red amber $1,58@1,60. Prime mess beef 26@28¾c. Lard 13¾@13¾c. Eggs steady: fresh 28@29c; limed 15@24c; others unchanged.

Live Stock.

NEW YORK, February 13.—The recent snow storm did not keep stock back, for 3,800 head of cattle arrived to-day, completing 6,920 head for the week. There were 107 cars at One Hundredth street: 64 cars at Weehawken and 53 cars at Communipaw. Trade is somewhat active and prices are just a shade stronger, all selling at 10@16c, with a few exceptions, and mostly at 13@14¾c; averaging at 13¾. Cattle are in few hands and mostly from Illinois, very few Texans, and 450 from New York. One shipper, Morris, of Chicago, had 1,800 head of cattle for the week and one of the best droves to-day, viz: 44 Ohio grades, 9 cwt, sold at 15@16c; 100 Illinois, 6¾ cwt. 13@14c; car, 6 cwt of Michigan, 12¾c. Total of sheep, 24,200 head, with 7,800 to-day. The market is steady and prices are unchanged, mostly at 5@6¾c. One very poor lot of Illinois, 65 lbs, selling at 4c; car, 70 lbs, 5c; car, 97 lbs, Indiana, 6c; car, 118 lbs, Canada, 7¾c. Hogs for the week, 12c; 900 head of live and 8,200 head of dressed for to-day; 34 cars of live and 22 cars of dead; the market is steady; western dressed, 9¾@10c; city, 10¾c for heavy; 11c for 130 lbs. Pigs, 2 cars of Ohio, live, 156 lbs, sold at 8¾c; car, 147 lbs, 8¾c.

Dry Goods.

NEW YORK, February 13.—Owing to the high rates of freights still ruling to distant interior points, buyers are timid and the market continues extremely languid on all classes of goods, as sales are confined to the most pressing wants, prices meanwhile being steady. We quote Cabot A brown, sheetings at 11¾c; Continental C, 12¾c; do D, 13¾c; Dwight X, 9c; do Z, 11c; do Y and W, 10c; Indian Orchard C 11c; do W, 10c; do L 9¾c; Lyman E 11¾c; Pepperell 7-4 sheetings 22¾c; 8-4 do, 25c; 9-4 27¾c; 10-4 do, 32¾c; 11-4 do, 37¾c; Utica 48-inch 25c; do 58-inch 32¾c; do 10-4 46¾c; do 11-4 22¾c, and 12¾@13c for best brown drills.

Cincinnati.

CINCINNATI, February 13.—Cotton dull and drooping; middling 14¾@14¾c. Flour active and advanced; family $6 25@6 50. Wheat active and firm; prices advanced; red $1 33@1 35. Corn active, and prices advanced; ear 56@57c. Rye quiet and unchanged; $1 00@1 05. Oats active and advanced; No. 2 50@52c. Barley quiet and unchanged. Groceries and Oils unchanged. Eggs—Demand good at full prices; 21@22c. Butter and Cheese do. Clover Seed dull and drooping; on arrival $11; from store $11 25. Pork quiet and weak; $22 50 asked. Lard quiet and unchanged; steam 12¾c; kettle 12¾c—only jobbing sales. Bulk Meats dull and unsettled; asking 8¾@10¾@11¾c; offering ¾c less, and not much demand at these rates. Bacon quiet and weak; 9¾@11¾@12¾c; no sales. Whiskey firm at 87c. Gold 111¾. Exchange par.

St. Louis.

ST. LOUIS, February 13.—Cotton dull but unchanged at 14c. Flour active for low grades, which were scarce and held higher; superfine winter $5.50@5.60; double extra $6. Wheat steady: No 2 red winter $1.45; No 3 $1.35@1.36. Corn: white in demand and higher at 53@55c in warehouse; mixed on track across the river at 46¾@47c. Oats better at 49@52c bulk; 56@60c in sacks. Barley firm; spring No 1 at $1.05. Rye firm at $1@1.03. Whiskey, nothing done. Provisions firm; only jobbing and order sales. Pork $23@23.25. Bulk shoulders 8¾@8¾c; do sides, clear rib, 11c; do clear 11¾c. Bacon shoulders 10c; do sides, clear rib, 12c; do clear 12¾c. Sugar cured hams canvassed 17¾c. Lard firm at 12¾c for kettle. Hogs range from $7.25@8. Cattle $4.25@7.75.

Toledo.

TOLEDO, February 13.—Flour steady and in moderate demand. Wheat steady and in moderate demand. Amber Michigan $1.38¾; No 1 red Wabash $1.46¾; No 2 $1.37; No 3 $1.61. Corn quiet and unchanged; high mixed 58c; low do 56¾@57c; Michigan 58c. Oats active and advanced 1c; No 1 52c; No 2 50¾c; Michigan 51¾c. Clover seed steady at $5.35. Hogs steady at $8.75 for all weights. Grain in store February 11, 449,000 bush.

Louisville.

LOUISVILLE, February 13.—Tobacco: common to good lugs $5.25@6; low to medium leaf $6.25@8.10. Bagging quiet and firm 24@25c. Cotton quiet; middling 13¾c. Flour firm and strong with an upward tendency: extra family at $5.75. Grain firm. Provisions quiet; mess pork $22.75. Bacon 10@12@12¾c. Bulk meats 8¾@11@11¾c. Lard 12¾@14c. Hams—sugar cured 16c; do plain 15c. Whisky quiet and firm at 87c.

Milwaukee.

MILWAUKEE, February 13.—Flour dull but unchanged. Wheat dull but unchanged; No. 1, 126; No. 2, 124. Oats dull and nominal; No. 2, 50c. Corn active and advanced; No. 2, 55c. Lard firm; No. 1, 88c. Barley scarce and firm; No. 2 fall 80c. Hogs active and advanced; $8 90.

Baltimore.

BALTIMORE, February 13.—Flour scarce and firm. Wheat firm; Ohio and Indiana $1.55@1.65. Corn dull and unchanged; yellow 80@81c. Oats 60c. Rye 95@1.01. Mess pork $23@23.50. Bacon: sides 12c, clear rib 12¾c, shoulders 10¾c. Hams, sugar cured 17¾c. Lard 13¾c. Whisky 93@94c.

Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA, February 13.—Flour steady; western family $6.75@7.75; Ohio, Indiana, $7@7.75. Wheat dull, Indiana red $1.58@1.60. Rye $1. Corn—Yellow 78@79; mixed western 76@77c. Oats 59@60c. Provisions unchanged. Crude petroleum 18c; refined 25c. Whisky 94c.

Cleveland.

CLEVELAND, February 13.—Flour steady. Wheat dull and inactive; No 1 red winter held $1.60. Corn firm; sales of 3,000 bush shelled at 60c. Oats better, sales at 53c. Crude petroleum very quiet, buyers and sellers apart; held at $5.35@5.40. Refined dull at 23¾c.

Detroit.

DETROIT, February 13.—Flour quiet and unchanged. Wheat active and advanced: extra $1.52; No. 1 $1.36. Corn steady. Barley steady. Hogs $8.75.

Cotton Markets.

CHARLESTON, February 13.—Cotton firm at 14¾c.

NEW ORLEANS, February 13.—Cotton active at 14¾@14¾c.

MOBILE, February 13.—Cotton irregular at 14c.

GALVESTON, February 13.—Cotton quiet; good ordinary 12¾c.

MEMPHIS, February 13.—Cotton quiet and unchanged; receipts 2,895 bales; shipments 4,485 bales.

IMPORTS BY RAILROAD.

CLEVELAND AND PITTSBURGH RAILROAD COMPANY, February 13.—13 cars iron ore, Shoenberger, B & Co; 7 do do, McKnight, P & Co; 1 do do do, Union Iron Mills; 2 do do, J Painter & Son; 2 do do do, Dilworth, P & Co; 3 do do, Bryan & C; 1 do do, Coleman, R & Co; 1 do do, Zug & Co; 1 do do, Wilson, G & Co; 1 do do, Reese, Graff & Co; 3 do do, Brady's Bend Iron Co; 1 do do, Everson, Preston & Co; 1 do do, Moorhead & Co; 1 do do, Nimick & Co; 1 do staves, C Pemberton; 16,000 feet lumber, W W Rigdon; 200 bxs turnips, 100 do potatoes, 20 apples, T Norton; 1 car potatoes, J McConnell & Co; 1 do, Campbell & Co; 70 m shingles, Slack & Snoler; 10 cases tobacco, T McCoy; 8 bbls b grade, Agnew & Wilcox; 30 bbls onions, Woodworth & D; 175 bgs wheat, W J Meek; 13 bgs c seed, A Kirkpatrick & Co; 160 sks wheat, Marshall, Kennedy & Co; 79 bdls paper, Godfrey & Clark; 7 kegs, 2 bbls oat meal, Watt, L & Co; 8 pkgs eggs, 18 bbls apples, 2 bbls eggs, 6 bbls beans, 2 hf co butter, Voigt, Mahood & Co; 100 sks oats, McBane & Anjer; 69 sks corn, T D Darmmett & Co.

PITTSBURGH FORT WAYNE AND CHICAGO RAILROAD, February 13.—586 e o bbls, W Mullin; 155 bgs oats, Oakland P RR Co; 144 sks seed, Houck, J & Co; 23 bbls pork, 8 kgs lard, Watt, L & Co; 72 bales spokes, Hare & Bro; 200 bble flour, T C Jenkins; 84 do do, H Knox; 25 bbls pulls, 25 do covers, F Sellers & Co; 14 bbls apples, 8 kgs a butter, Voigt, M & Co; 100 bbls shovels, Meyers & Armor; 2 cars f clay, Kier, G & Co; 177 sks oats, Schmeback & H; 10 bbls eggs, Arbuckle & Co; 15 springs, Coleman & Co; 170 sks oats, Bricker & Co; 5 cases bdls, Logan & Gregg; 45 sks bgs, B L Fahnestock; 195 sks oats, T Brady & Co; 4 bbls eggs, W A Graff & Co; 4 kgs a butter, Steel & Bro; 9 firkins butter, Haworth & D; 3 bbls h wines, Shipton & Wallace; 9 hf bbls butter, 2 bbls do, Voigt, M & Co; 4 bdls paper, G McClure; 17 do do, J S Patterson & Son; 25 bbls highwines, J McCullough; 6 organs, H Kleber & Bro; 20 bars iron, 9 pcs do, Lewis, O & P; 100 bbls flour, D Wallace; 200 bdls hides, Lucampt & Co.

PITTSBURGH, CINCINNATI AND ST. LOUIS RAILROAD, February 13.—1,125 shoulders, Dalzell & Townsend; 5 hhds tobacco, W & D Rinehart; 10 bales hemp, H Gerwig & Co; 5 butts tobacco, 15 cads do, Knable & Pickering; 119 sks do, J McWilliams; 27 sks wheat, 37 do barley, 20 do oats, McHenry & Hood; 13 dressed hogs, 1 bx poultry, A Burns; 57 sks wheat, Marshall, K & Co; 212 sks barley, Eberhart & Ober; 37 sks potatoes, Bricker & Co; 125 sks barley, 7 sks [illegible], 4 tubs butter, 10 bbls dry apples, Houck, Jamison & Co; 12 do do, W H Graff & Co; 25 bbls flour, 100 sks do, G Meyer; 20 bbls do, Marshall, K & Co; 16 bbls d apples, Vankey, Spencer, McK & Co; 10 tubs butter, W H Graff & Co; 21 sks wheat, C B Shouse; 27 sks oats, 38 do barley, 17 do wheat, Meanor & H; 85 sks barley, S Hood; 60 sks wheat, Gilmore & Co; 6 kgs lard, 1 bbl eggs, H Riddle & Co; 20 doz brooms, J Kober; 15 do do, J S Clark.

ALLEGHENY VALLEY RAILROAD, February 13.—2 sks rags, J Pennock; 45 bbls lube oil, D O Shearer; 1 bx locks, D Gregg & Co; 1 bbl beans, T C Jenkins & Bro; 12 do blue, B L Fahnestock & Co; 2 do do, Citizens W Lead Works; 1 car metal, W Smith; 2 do do, McKnight & Co; 1 bbl eggs, 9 do apples, Bruggeman & O'B; 1 bx butter, 1 do eggs, J Montooth; 1 do do, Jas Getty; 1 car wheat, Henderson & Bro; 1 car lime, Shoneberger, B & Co; 2 do 1 stone, Scott & Gisal; 77 sks oats, 32 do rye, J Leslie; 71 do wheat, Seward & Emerson; 5 bbls bone coal, Armstrong, D & Co; 21 cars coal, Kier, Foster & K; 59 do do, A Black; 24 cars coal, Coleman, R & Co.

ALLEGHENY STATION, February 13.—7 cars metal, Graff, B & Co; 263 bgs oats, 36 do rye, B Knox & Son; 10 do flour, S Dyer; 1 car metal, Rogers & B; 1 do do, Spang, C & Co; 6 do do, Lewis, B & D; 10 bbls flour, G Riter; 1 car barley, Straub & Co; 2 d hogs, Hippley & R; 2 kgs butter, W Weil; 4 bales cotton, Kennedy, C & Co; 21 bdls hides, Luckcamp & K; 17 do do, A & J Groetzinger; 2 bbls potatoes, G Allen; 1 bbl poultry, J Herbert; 268 sks corn, Adams & Knox; 1 car lumber; R M Dickey; 3 cars ore, Spang, C & Co; 2 cars lumber, Reed & Bro; 1 do do, J B Ingham; 1 do do, M Kirdy & McG; 1 do do, A C Taggart.

WEST PENNA. RAILROAD COMPANY, Feb. 13.—24 sks wheat, Laing & McKallip; 40 bbls salt, J Kurtz; 1 car bark, Jas Curran; 1 do do, Luppe & Weise; 2 cars mdse, Penna Salt Co.

IMPORTS BY RIVER.

PITTSBURGH, BROWNSVILLE AND GENEVA COMPANY, February 13.—56 sks wheat, Marshall, Kennedy & Co; 6 sks rags, Markle & Co; 150 bbls flour, John Corbett; 6 sks rags, J R Weldin; 1 bbl whisky, J Buckalew; 75 sks wheat, McHenry & Hood; 58 sks oats, Keil & Ritchart; 20 sks wheat, S B Floyd & Co; 1 bbl whisky, J K Lanahan; 70 sks wheat, J B Holmes; 275 sks wheat, 1 bbl sugar, McCracken, G & Co; 60 bbls flour, 400 bdls s boards, 27 bales hay, A S Carlisle; 10 bbls crackers, Kramer, B & Co; 3 pkgs bk flour, J S Dilworth & Co; 47 bales hay, J B Campbell.

CINCINNATI PER R. W. SKILLENGER, February 12.—109 oil bbls, C A Wormcastle; 2,400 nail kgs, J S Tavesty; lot scrap iron, Jones & Laughlins; 40 ale bbls, C Hogan & Co; 1 box eggs, H Rea Jr; 5 bbls eggs, 4 bxs butter, W H Graff & Co; 16,000 feet lumber, 6 head cattle, 6 bbls apples, owners.

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RIVER NEWS.

The river remains about stationary at this point with 4¾ feet in channel. Weather continues cloudy and cold and the Allegheny ice is again becoming more formidable.

The Argosy has laid up again.

At last accounts the St. Charles had not been raised but several tow boats were busily engaged in pumping her out. The prospects for raising her soon, are considered favorable. She will have to be taken to Cincinnati for repairs, being too long for the docks here.

The R. W. Skillinger, from Cincinnati, arrived and departed again last evening for Portsmouth. She will hereafter ply as a regular packet between here and Portsmouth, leaving Pittsburgh every Monday at 4 P. M. She is a bran new boat and is admirably adapted for the trade.

The old and reliable Brownsville Packet Company have two boats leaving daily, one at 8 A. M., and the other at 4 P. M.

The Wauanita, Capt. Rees, is announced for New Orleans forthwith. She is the only through boat in this port at present. Capt. Rees expects to get off on Saturday next.

The Julia did not arrive from Zanesville, and her non-arrival leads to the inference that she is laid up at Zanesville.

The Silver Lake, Rover and Savanna, are all announced for St. Louis.

The Belle Vernon Capt. J. J. Darragh, is filling up steadily for Nashville, and will be the first out for the "City of Rocks."

The slippery condition of the wharf rendered business very dull at the landing yesterday. It was almost impossible to do any teaming and, consequently, the offerings of freight were exceedingly light. The Skillinger would have got several lots of freight had it been for the fact above noted. We are in hopes that it will be better to-day.

Capt. John Noss, formerly of the Importer and Iron City is in command of the Belle.

—The arrival of the James Howard at New Orleans is noted as follows: The evening sensation of our river circle yesterday, was the arrival toward dusk, of the new St. Louis packet James Howard, on her first business trip to New Orleans. The great steamer rode into port under a large consignment, (including 1896 bales of cotton, after discharging heavily on the way) with Capt. B. R. Pegram in command, and Purser J. H. Chassaing in the office. Curiosity here is on the qui vive to inspect the new mammoth liner, and will, no doubt, gratify itself during her stay with us. Capt. Pegram may well feel proud of his great steamboat. She has been the subject of universal admiration along the entire line of her maiden travel, and is destined to rank foremost among the leading river splendors of the day. The James Howard left Memphis Thursday night with nearly 2,500 tons of freight, and drawing less than eight feet.

—Mr. Wm. Dorsey, Secretary of the Pilots Society, furnishes the following as regards the steamer St. Charles: "The St. Charles left Pittsburgh wharf about six o'clock, Ben Hall, pilot, taking her out, James Rowley in the pilot-house with him until they got below Brunot's Island; Rowley then went to his supper, getting back to the pilot-house in time to come on watch at Horsetail. It was quite dark and the engines were running at slow bells, and escaping in the wheel they went through Horsetail and Lowry all safe, but at Duff struck a rock on the point of the upper bar. She now lays pointing for the best water, but at two breadths of the boat too high.

—A New Orleans paper says: There is a strong feeling among boatmen here to resist paying the wharfage dues until the landing be rendered available to receive freight. Some of our packets have already refused to pay the levee tariff. The movement receives daily impetus from the continued overcrowded condition of the landing, and threatens to include every steamboat commander doing business at this port.

—The only Red river pilots that could be found at Cincinnati for the Edinburg were Chas. Sebastian and a man named Funk. The Cincinnati Gazette says that the only men who sink boats in Red river are the New Orleans pilots, who get or ask $400 to $500 per month for their services.

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Pacific Ex.	2:30 am	Mail Train	1:30 am
Southern Ex.	4:30 am	Fast Line	1:40 am
Mail Train	8:30 am	Cincinnati Ex.	1:10 pm
Cincin'ti Ex.	12:10 pm	Pittsb'gh Ex.	1:20 pm
Phila. Express	3:30 pm	Pacific Ex.	10:40 pm
Fast Line	8:00 pm	Way Passen'r	10:30 pm
LOCAL.		LOCAL.	
Wall's No. 1	6:30 am	Brin'n Ac No. 1	7:30 am
Brintn Ac No 1	10:20 am	Wall's No. 1	7:30 am
Wall's No. 2	11:31 am	Wall's No. 2	9:30 am
Wall's No. 4	3:30 pm	Johnstown Ac.	9:30 am
Johnst'wn Ac.	4:05 pm	Wall's No. 3	2:30 pm
Wall's No 3	3:05 pm	Braddocks Ac	
Wall's No. 5	11:00 pm	No. 1	7:15 pm
Wilkinsb'g Ac.	5:50 pm	Brin'n Ac No 2	1:30 pm
Braddocks Ac.		Wall's No. 4	1:30 pm
No. 1	4:50 pm	Wilkinsb'g Ac.	10:30 pm

Cincinnati Express and Southern Express leave daily.

Pacific Express leaves daily except Monday.

All other trains daily, except Sunday.

The Church Trains leaves Walls Station every Sunday at 9:05 a. m., reaching Pittsburgh at 9:50 a. m. Returning, leaves Pittsburgh at 1:05 p. m. and arrives at Walls Station at 2:30 p. m. Sunday Brinton Accommodation leaves Pittsburgh at 8:30 p. m.; arrives at Brinton at 9:30 p. m.

For further information apply to W. H. STOREY, Agent.

The Pennsylvania Railroad Company will not assume any risk for Baggage, except for wearing apparel, and limit their responsibility to One Hundred Dollars in value. All Baggage exceeding that amount in value will be at the risk of the owner unless taken by special contract.

A. J. CASSATT, General Superintendent, Altoona, Pa.

WESTERN PENNSYLVANIA R. R.—On and after DEC. 19, 1870, the Passenger Trains on the Western Pennsylvania Railroad will arrive at and depart from the Federal Street Depot, Allegheny City, as follows:

(CITY TIME.)

[illegible]

Above trains run daily except Sunday.

The Church Train leaves Freeport every Sunday at 8:10 A. M., reaching Allegheny City at 10:30 A. M. Returning, leaves Allegheny City at 1:30 P. M. and arrives at Freeport at 3:30 P. M.

Through tickets to Butler and Blairsville can be purchased at Wright's Stage Office, No. 5 St. Clair street, near the Suspension Bridge, Pittsburgh, and at the Depot, Allegheny.

For further particulars apply to JAMES LEFFERTS, Agent, Federal Street Depot.

Local Tickets to all important Stations on the main line of the Pennsylvania Central Railroad.

A. J. CASSATT, General Superintendent, Altoona, Pa. ROBERT NEILSON, Superintendent, Pittsburgh.

PITTSBURGH, FORT WAYNE & CHICAGO R. W. and CLEVELAND & PITTSBURGH R. R.

From December 4, 1870, trains will leave from and arrive at the Union Depot, north side, Pittsburgh city time, as follows:

[illegible]

Chicago Express leaves daily.
Pacific Express arrives daily.
Fast Line leaves daily, Mondays excepted.
Fast Line arrives daily, Mondays excepted.
All other trains will leave and arrive daily, Sundays excepted.

F. R. MYERS, Genl. Pas. & Ticket Agent. J. N. McCULLOUGH, Genl. Manager.

DEPARTMENT OF CONSTRUCTION.

Western Division WEST PENNA. RAILROAD.

Time Table, No. 3. To take effect MONDAY, January 30th, 1871.

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ANTES SNYDER, Principal Assistant Engineer.

PITTSBURGH, CINCINNATI AND ST. LOUIS RAILWAY PAN HANDLE ROUTE. On and after SUNDAY Nov. 20, 1870, trains will leave and arrive at the Union Depot, Pittsburgh, as follows, city time:

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The 11:05 A. M. Pacific Express will run daily. The 12:56 Cincinnati Express will arrive daily. All other trains will arrive daily, except Sundays. Trains on Chartiers road will leave Mansfield on the arrival of Dennison Accommodation leaving Pittsburgh at 7:13 A. M., on Steubenville Accommodation, leaving Pittsburgh at 3:28 P. M.; returning, will connect at Mansfield with trains due at Pittsburgh at 9:58 A. M. and 4:13 P. M.

W. L. O'BRIEN, General Ticket Agent, Columbus, O. W. W. CARD, Sup't., Dennison, Ohio.

ALLEGHENY VALLEY RAILROAD. NEW LINE TO BUFFALO THROUGH THE OIL REGIONS.

On and after MONDAY, Dec. 5th, 1870, [illegible]

[illegible]

PITTSBURGH AND CONNELLSVILLE RAILROAD.—CHANGE OF TIME.—On and after SUNDAY, [illegible] trains will arrive at and depart from the Depot, corner of Grant and Water streets, Pittsburgh, as follows—city time:

[illegible]

D. D. ANGELL, Master of Transportation.

CARRIAGES, BUGGIES, &c.

JOHN Q. WORKMAN ... H. RICHARD DAVIS

WORKMAN & DAVIS,

Successors to WORKMAN, MOORE & CO., manufacturers and Dealers in

Carriages, Buggies,

SPRING & BUCK WAGONS.

42, 44, 46 and 48 Beaver St., Allegheny.

[illegible]

H. RICHARD DAVIS having purchased the interest of Alex. and Wm. [illegible] in the firm of WORKMAN, MOORE & CO., the business will hereafter be conducted at the old stand, under the name and style of WORKMAN & DAVIS.

JOHN Q. WORKMAN.
H. RICHARD DAVIS.

Late with Citizens' National Bank, Pittsburgh.

LEAD, DRUGS, &c.

PITTSBURGH

White Lead and Color Works,

J. Schoonmaker & Son,

PROPRIETORS,

Manufacturers of WHITE LEAD, RED LEAD, BLUE LEAD, ZINC, LITHARGE, PUTTY and all colors DRY AND IN OIL.

OFFICE AND FACTORY

450, 452, 454, 456 and 458 Rebecca Street,

ALLEGHENY.

[illegible]

WINES, LIQUORS, &c.

Schmidt & Friday,

IMPORTERS OF

WINES, BRANDIES, GINS, &c.,

WHOLESALE DEALERS IN

PURE RYE WHISKIES,

Nos. 394 and 396 Penn,

Cor. of ELEVENTH ST., formerly Canal.

THE DAILY GAZETTE.

HOME NEWS.

To-night East Birmingham Councils meet.

The Brick Manufacturers of this county will find an advertisement concerning them on first page.

Citizens of Wilkinsburg and vicinity will assemble this evening at the Presbyterian Church to agitate the Borough question.

Thursday night persons interested in the formation of a Southside Library will meet in the hall of the Knights of Pythias, Fourteenth street.

Blacksmiths yesterday had all they could do in every quarter, to keep up with the demands of those who wished to get their horses "sharped."

Office Rooms To-Let.—Several fine office rooms can be had from April 1, in "Gazette Building," corner of Sixth avenue and Smithfield streets. Apply at once.

Route for Sale.—A route on a morning paper in this city. Cause of selling: the owner is going into other business. Apply at 169 Locust street, Pittsburgh, or at GAZETTE Counting-room.

The Monongahela wharf yesterday was a place of trial to horseflesh. Quite a number of the poor beasts went down, and, from the unevenness of the ground, it was a work of labor to get them on their legs again.

Tenants at Their Own Will.—Margaret Clifford and Eliza Dudley, drunk, took up a holding in Dr. Jackson's barber shop. They were by the police rudely dispossessed, and later, sent by Mayor Brush to jail.

Yesterday a charge of disorderly conduct was brought before Justice Kerhan against Fanny Carlisle, by officer John Kichleay. The charge was based upon Carlisle's alleged disorderly conduct at Mrs. Patterson's. Settled on payment of costs.

Jennie Fullerton yesterday visited Alderman McMasters and lodged an information against her husband, Joseph, for abandonment and desertion. The parties have resided near Shoenberger's Mills, the husband being employed therein. A warrant was issued.

The Colored Barber, Wilson Watters, of Brady's Bend, has been avenged, perhaps, just as one may think. Austin has been tried and convicted of manslaughter, in a Clarion county court, and gets eight months in the Clarion county jail, and pays, besides, a fine of $200.

The Pilgrim.—Benefit of the Centenary M. E. Church this evening. Matinee Wednesday at 2:30, and in the evening benefit of Second Presbyterian Church. So grand and all-commanding is the profound pleasure of attending at the Academy that many have visited The Pilgrim six and eight times.

Yesterday morning Henry Kuntleman, appeared before Justice Heisel, of East Birmingham, and accused Jacob and Abe Cole and George Gering, of having physically abused him. A warrant was sent out to Mifflin township, where they live, and where the offence was committed, for defendants.

The School Board of the Peebles sub-district, project for themselves a new school house of the model of the elegant new edifice in the Oakland district. The building is estimated to cost $28,000. At a meeting held to further the plan, a committee was appointed to procure the legislation authorizing the Board to borrow money.

Creditable.—William M. Elias & Bro. of the Dollar Store, on Fifth avenue, yesterday made a second deposit of $54.75 in the Exchange National Bank to the account of the South Pittsburgh Fire Relief Fund, being one-fourth of the sales at their stores on Saturday. They will continue to make such donations all the remaining days of the week.

Patrick Keefe, the proprietor of Keefe's court, yesterday lodged before Alderman McMasters an information against Madge White, a colored tenant of the court, for keeping a disorderly house. He alleges that on Sundays, for sometime past, this disorder has become intolerable, and that his patience is exhausted. Warrant went out for Madge.

Bad for Horses.—Yesterday was a very bad day for horses. The streets, especially those [illegible] were extremely slippery, and there were many cases of horses falling. We have heard of several instances where the poor animals were so badly injured as to render the sacrifice of their lives necessary. Messrs. Jones & Laughlins lost a very valuable draft horse in this way on the wharf.

Coroner West yesterday morning held an inquest on an infant child of John A. Johnston, at the residence of its parents, on East street, in the Third ward, Allegheny. The little thing was well at five o'clock of Sunday morning, and at seven was dead. The jury rendered a verdict in accordance with the opinion of Dr. James P. Alcorn, who, after a post mortem, thought the child died of spasms. The little one was four months old.

Unpaid letters in Pittsburgh Postoffice, February 12:

Bindman, Mrs. Sarah, North Hope, Pa., 3c.
Treasurer of Crawford Co., Denison, Iowa, 3c.
Doon Jno., Temperanceville, Pa., 3c.
Gleason Maris, Allegheny, Pa., 3c.
Keane Jno., Buchanan, Pa., 3c.
Lewis Toney, Pittsburgh, Pa., 3c.

Two colored men, William Taylor and Samuel Thomas got into a shindy in the Allegheny house, Diamond, on Sunday, and the former yesterday came before Mayor Brush and preferred an information for assault and battery against the latter. In the course of the melee, Taylor was scratched on the arm by a butcher's knife which Thomas had in his hand when the scuffle began. It does not appear that the defendant had any intention of cutting Taylor. A warrant was issued for his arrest.

Great Improvements are projected on Smithfield street. The low buildings on the Updegraff property are to be torn down and replaced by handsome structures in keeping with the locality. City Hall will be faced by a handsome building which will, in the course of the spring, be erected by the Hon. Thomas Mellon. The Messrs. McElroy and Dickson, not to be behind hand, will also erect a fine building on the corner of Sixth avenue and Smithfield street.

Fracas in a Steamboat.—Owen Murphy yesterday came before Mayor Brush and made an information against Benjamin Baker for assault and battery. The parties are employed on the steamboat "R. W. Skillinger," now lying at the wharf. Some dispute arose between them, during which Murphy alleges Baker stooped and picked up a billet of wood, striking him with it twice. When drawn up before the Mayor the contestants concluded to arrange their difficulty amicably, and the suit was withdrawn by Murphy, Baker paying the costs.

John Irwin and Neale Tomer are both butchers and residents of East Liberty. Irwin keeps a butcher shop in Pittsburgh, but has, as Tomer has also, his slaughter house in East Liberty. The slaughter houses adjoin, and some disputes have arisen between the proprietors on matters connected with their slaughtering business. A very violent one sprang up the other day, in which, Irwin alleges, Tomer used very threatening language. As a consequence, he came yesterday before Alderman McMasters and instituted a surety of the peace information. The Alderman issued his warrant.

The Guardians of the Poor will meet to-day to effect an organization. It is very probable that James T. Kincaid, Sr., Esq., will be re-elected President. This gentleman, in a careful and unostentatious manner, has discharged his duties as a Guardian well and faithfully through a long term of years. He was for twenty-three years a member of our Select City Council, has served eighteen years on the Board of Guardians, and has for more than thirty years been Treasurer of the Liberty street Methodist church. Few citizens have longer or more faithfully served the community without emolument than Mr. Kincaid.

Elegant Residence and grounds for sale at Sharpsburg. They are easy of access by the Western Pennsylvania Railroad and the street cars, and also a very fine drive by the road. The grounds are tastefully laid out and beautifully ornamented. The house is large and well arranged for convenience and comfort, and has all the modern improvements, such as hot and cold water bath room, gas, &c. There is also a good and well arranged stable and carriage house on the grounds. This property is the most desirable in the whole neighborhood, and the only reason for selling is that the owner has removed from the city and prefers selling to renting so fine a property. Everything is in first class order. For further information inquire of C. H. Love, 58 Fourth avenue.

Who Has Lost a Little Girl?—Last summer a party of gipsies, containing of two men, two women and a girl aged about eleven years, passed through the village of Belmore, Crawford county, going west. Shortly after passing through the place, a man engaged in hauling logs came across a little girl aged about four years, which had been left in the road on the route which the gipsies had just passed over. The man picked up the child and took it to his home. The little thing could give no account of itself, nor has never yet conveyed any idea who its parents are. The general impression is that the child did not belong to the gipsies, and that they stole it from some family and becoming tired of it left it in the road as above stated. There may be somewhere a mourning father and mother whom the publication of this item may lead to the recovery of their lost child. Will our exchanges give it currency as widely as possible?

Attraction at the Rink.

It will be perceived, by reference to the advertisement elsewhere, that unusual attractions are promised to lovers and admirers of the art skatorial at the Keystone Rink to-day, to-night, Wednesday and Wednesday night. Mr. W. H. Brown, Superintendent of the Rink, announces that he has secured the attendance of John Miner, the famous champion skater. It is hardly necessary to state that those who visit the Rink during Miner's engagement will enjoy a rare pleasure and be able, at the same time, to realize what an artistic thing skating may be shown to be by competent performers.

Cantata Society Concerts.

The sale of seats to the concerts to be given this evening and on Thursday next has been very flattering, yet not so large as it should have been. No real lover of good music should stay away. It is not too late, however, for our citizens to do their duty by supporting this home society of ours. The programmes are carefully selected, and offer some rare pieces that all of our music-loving people should hear. Among the rest, we [illegible] especial mention, are two pieces by our townsman, Joseph Hoch, "Morning and Evening," a solo and chorus, and "The Veil," a quartette, both pronounced to be of very superior merit.

A Lamentable End.

[illegible], a man twenty-two years of age died of starvation in Frankstown on Friday. He had come to Pittsburgh from Hollidaysburgh, about four months ago, and had been employed as assistant to a peddler at the Pittsburgh Bolt Company's works at that [illegible] strike he had been thrown out of employment for some time, but was subsequently employed in the same capacity. The peddler was unable to pay Young, and the young man's pride prevented his making his destitute condition known. For about a week he was slowly dying of starvation. His parents were advised of his melancholy end and removed his remains for interment to his former home in Hollidaysburgh. The case is of the most distressing [illegible]. Young leaves a wife whom he only [illegible] ago, who had shared his destitution.

CITY COUNCILS.

First Regular Semi-Monthly Meeting of Councils under the New Rules.

Both branches of the City Councils held a regular session yesterday afternoon under the recently adopted new rules, which provide for two stated meetings each month.

Select Branch.

This branch was called to order at 2:30 P. M. by President Gross.

Members present: Messrs. Ahl, Ahlborn, Aiken, Burgwin, Chislett, Coffin, Devlin, Donnelly, Duncan, Edwards, Friday, Gallaher, Herron, Hoeh, House, Jeremy, E. P. Jones, Isaac Jones, Kehew, Kirk, Laufman, Liddell, Asdale, Littell, Lloyd, Marshall, McCarthy, McCune, Miller, Morrow, Murdock, Murray, Neely, Phillips, Rafferty, Schmidt, Scully, Seely, Shipton, S. J. Wainwright, Z. Wainwright, Wilson and President Gross in the chair.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Mr. McCune presented the petition of James White for permission to erect an iron-clad. Referred to Committee on Wooden Buildings.

Mr. Rafferty presented a petition from Mrs. C. Cummings, asking for a reduction of business tax. Referred to Finance Committee.

Mr. Morrow presented a resolution requesting the Legislature to postpone action on the bill now pending authorizing the erection of a tripartite bridge at the Point, and asked its passage.

Objection having been made, the resolution, under the rules, was laid over.

Mr. Ahl presented a resolution authorizing the opening of Pike street. Referred to Street Committee.

Mr. Ahlborn presented a petition for a sewer on Thirty-third street. Referred to Street Committee.

Mr. Chislett presented a petition for water pipes on Plum alley. Referred to Water Committee.

Mr. Edwards presented a petition for the reduction of certain business tax. Referred to Finance Committee with power to act.

Messrs. Donnelly and Chislett appointed a committee on the part of S. C. to act with Messrs. Jones, Kinzer and Watson of C. C. relative to the purchase of the Lawrenceville and Sharpsburg plank road.

Mr. Lloyd presented a petition for grading Wick street. Referred to Street Committee.

NON CONCURRENCES.

A resolution passed in C. C. fixing the salary of the Street Commissioner of the Third District at $1,200 was read and Mr. Morrow objecting it was laid over.

A resolution passed in C. C. authorizing the appointment of a Grain Inspector was read.

Mr. Rafferty objected, when, under the rules, it was laid on the table.

The ordinance passed in C. C. dividing the Sixteenth Ward into two election districts was called up, when Mr. Morrow objecting under the rules, it was laid over.

A resolution passed in C. C. endorsing the action of General Negley in the matter of the purchase of the Arsenal was brought up, and on objection by Mr. Kirk was laid over.

Mr. Phillips called up the resolution increasing the salary of the Mayor's Clerk, and moved that it be read a third time and passed.

Mr. Rafferty objected, and stated that he had been informed that there was an Attorney in the Chamber who was to receive three hundred dollars in case this resolution should pass.

Mr. Burgwin here arose and said that as there were but three attorneys in the body he would like to have Mr. Rafferty name the party who gave the information.

Mr. E. P. Jones as one of the three also desired the gentleman to name the attorney implicated. Mr. Rafferty then stated that Mr. McCarthy was the party to whom he alluded.

Mr. Isaac Jones stated that he had been informed that there were fees attached to the office of Mayor's Clerk, amounting to some $2,000 or $3,000. He would ask if this was the case.

Mr. Phillips, in answer to Mr. Jones, said that he knew of no fees attached to the office of Clerk. The Mayor had perquisites, but he did not think that one cent of these went to the Clerk.

Mr. Donnelly hoped that the resolution would not pass. He thought the precedent a bad one, and he did not wish to see it established.

Mr. Lloyd, from the Committee on Police, stated that the matter had been before that committee, and they were in favor of Mr. Patterson's getting the increased pay. He was honest and capable and deserved it.

Mr. Kehew stated that he knew positively that Mr. Patterson did not receive one cent above his salary.

Mr. Rafferty stated that he had seen these fees paid, that is, fifty cents for each bail bond filed, and, whether Mr. Patterson got it or not, it went into the office.

Mr. Burgwin said that he intended to vote for the bill, and felt that he should give his reasons for so doing. Mr. Patterson, as he understood, was a most valuable and efficient officer, and that the present compensation was inadequate to his maintenance, and that, on these grounds, he would support the resolution.

Mr. Kirk objected on the ground that this was a new thing, and although the increase had been granted last year, it was then emphatically resolved that in the future no more concessions of the kind would be made. Mr. Patterson was aware of this, and if he could not have afforded to continue in the place at the fixed salary of $1,000, he should have resigned.

Mr. Phillips stated that this was not a new thing. Last year the same thing had been done. The Finance Committee had recommended it because they felt that Mr. Patterson was justly entitled to it and that the only reason why they had not then made the increase a permanent one was that they feared it would open the doors to claims less just than those of Mr. Patterson.

Mr. Kirk, in answer to Mr. Phillips said that he admitted that the increase had been given to him last year but that a resolution had been passed at the same time, as he before stated, that it should not occur again.

Mr. Wainright here presented a paper showing the receipts at the Mayor's office and asked to have it read for the information of members.

Mr. Littell moved the previous question. Carried.

Mr. Kirk called for the yeas and nays. Sustained.

The ayes and nays were then called with the following result:

Ayes: Messrs. Aiken, Burgwin, Chislett, Duncan, Edwards, Friday, Herron, House, E. P. Jones, Isaac Jones, Kehew, Littell, Lloyd, Marshall, McCune, Morrow, Murdock, Murray, Neely, Phillips, Schmidt, Scully, Seely, S. J. Wainwright, Wilson, Gross, President—24.

Nays: Messrs. Ahl, Ahlborn, Coffin, Devlin, Donnelly, Gallaher, Hoeh, Jeremy, Kirk, Liddell, Asdale, Miller, Rafferty, Shipton—14.

The resolution was therefore passed.

Mr. McCarthy, who had been out pending the discussion on the Patterson resolution rose to a question of privilege. He said that he understood that it had been stated that he was to receive a fee of $300 for engineering this resolution through Council. He unhesitatingly pronounced it false.

Mr. Rafferty—Mr. Jeremy is my authority. He told me that he had been informed by you that you were to be paid.

Mr. Jeremy—The gentleman certainly told me.

Mr. McCarthy—It is false, and the gentleman—

The Speaker's gavel here descended with several quick and impatient raps, and he announced that the gentlemen were all out of order and that he would not permit any more discussion.

Mr. Burgwin presented a supplement to the rules adopted at the last meeting, and moved its adoption. Carried.

Other amendments were presented by Messrs. Kirk, Herron and Aiken, but on a vote being taken were either lost or laid over.

Mr. Edwards moved that the majority report of the Committee on the contested election case in the Sixteenth Ward, be taken up.

Mr. McCarthy moved that both reports be accepted and Mr. Smith's seat be declared vacant.

Mr. Burgwin moved that the whole subject be brought up again.

Mr. Gallaher called for the reading of the report. Sustained.

The President then read the reports, which have already been published by us.

Mr. Edwards moved the adoption of the majority report.

Mr. McCarthy moved to amend by adopting the minority report.

Mr. Burgwin offered the following substitute.

Whereas, It manifestly appears from both the majority and minority reports, that of the two certificates of election returned by the mayor for the Sixteenth Ward, the one setting forth a majority of votes for Benj. Schmidt was not genuine, but after being signed in blank by the election officers was away and filled up without their knowledge or consent. And that the other certificate in favor of J. R. Epping, though genuine, yet was signed a few days after the election day, and therefore irregular.

And Whereas this Council, on the day of organization in voting that Benj. Schmidt be sworn in as a member of Councils on the strength of the first mentioned certificate, acted in ignorance of the real facts.

A proper self-respect and a due regard for the purity of elections, and for the rights of the citizens of the Sixteenth Ward, require that we now retrace our steps and dispose of this question as we would have done had we known then what we know now. Therefore,

Resolved, That we rescind our former action in admitting Benj. Schmidt as a member for the Sixteenth ward, and do hereby declare his seat vacant.

Resolved, That a new election be held to fill the vacancy thus created and that the Mayor be directed to issue his proclamation according to law.

Mr. Burgwin, in presenting the substitute, said that he was a Democrat, but did not think that this question should be regarded from a partizan standpoint, and urged its adoption for the reason that fraud was apparent and it behooved councils to keep its skirts clear of all suspicion of complicity therewith.

Mr. Isaac Jones moved that the substitute be laid on the table. Withdrawn.

Mr. Littell refuted the views of Mr. Burgwin, and entered into a lengthy and logical resume of the evidence that had influenced the action of the majority in making their report, in which he stated that, while there were undoubtedly irregularities, there were no proofs of fraud—that the first and second counts had not agreed, but the second and fourth did agree, and they had been accepted, as was the custom of election officers, as the true count; that Mr. Robb, after the votes had been counted, stepped around and called out, "who will take these papers?" There being no response, Mr. Robb took them home with him. There having been four counts, and it being late at night, or rather early in the morning, the judge refused to sign them, saying that he would leave the matter to the higher powers, meaning Councils; that the election blanks having been signed, those that Mr. Robb took home and filled the day after the election and returned to Councils a certificate of the election of Benjamin Schmidt, the last count showing that he was entitled to the seat. It was the custom for election officers to sign the blanks, the clerks afterwards filling them up. That Mr. Epping, brother of one of the parties, had deposed that Roland H. Smith had nothing to do with the ballots on that night.

Mr. Devlin, author of the minority report, stated that the testimony before the Committee was not taken down in full at the time of the investigations, and presented the affidavit of the election officers, made after the investigation had been held, and asked to have it read.

Mr. Edwards moved that the paper be not received. Carried.

Mr. Littell, in answer to a question from Mr. Kirk, stated that the Committee had not counted the ballots, but went by the tally papers.

The question then recurred on the substitute of Mr. Burgwin.

Mr. Burgwin asked that the clerk again read the substitute, and called for the yeas and nays on its passage. The yeas and nays were then called, with the following result:

Ayes—Messrs. Ahl, Ahlborn, Burgwin, Devlin, Donnelly, Gallaher, Jones, Liddell, Asdale, Morrow, Rafferty, Scully—12.

Nays—Messrs. Aiken, Chislett, Coffin, Edwards, Friday, Gallaher, Herron, Hoeh, House, Jeremy, Jones, Kehew, Kirk, Littell, Lloyd, Marshall, McCune, Miller, Murdock, Murray, Neely, Phillips, Seely, Shipton, Wainwright, Wilson and President Gross.

The substitute was accordingly lost.

The question was then on the motion to adopt the minority report. Lost.

A vote was then had on Mr. Edwards' motion to adopt the majority report. Carried.

Mr. Phillips presented a report from the City Solicitor to whom had been referred the account of Thomas H. Hunter, Recorder, amounting to $294.25, for recording city ordinances, and moved that the rules be suspended and the account passed. Read three times and passed.

Mr. Phillips also presented a resolution authorizing warrants to be drawn in favor of Joseph Brown, Clerk of Court for $50, and George T. Gilmore, Commissioner, for $120. Read three times and passed.

Mr. Burgwin, from the Park Committee, submitted the following draft of an Act of Assembly authorizing the city to purchase grounds for a public park.

Section 1. The city of Pittsburgh shall be and is hereby authorized and empowered, whenever Councils shall so direct, to purchase ground not exceeding in the aggregate six hundreds acres, to be used for the purpose of a public park or parks, and to pass, ordain and enact rules, regulations and ordinances necessary and proper for the purchase, improvement, preservation, regulation, management and control of the same, and enforce the same by proper penalties.

Sec. 2. Whenever said city may desire to procure grounds within the corporate limits of said city for the purposes of said park, and are unable to agree with the owner thereof for the sale of the same, or by reason of the absence or legal incapacity of such owner or owners no such agreement can be made, it shall and may be lawful for the District Court of Allegheny county, on application thereto, made by petition on behalf of said city, to appoint three disinterested freeholders of said county, neither of whom shall be residents or owners of property in said city, and appoint a time not less than ten nor more than twenty days thereafter, when they shall meet on the premises, and having been first duly sworn or affirmed to faithfully discharge their duty, appraise and value the grounds proposed to be taken, of which meeting notice shall be given, at least ten days before the time appointed, to the Attorney of the city of Pittsburgh, and to the owner or owners, or in case of the absence or legal incapacity of the owner or owners, to the agent, guardian, committee or other representative of such owner, if such agent or other representative resides in the county of Allegheny, and, if not, by publication in at least two daily newspapers published in the city of Pittsburgh, and in such other papers as the court may direct.

Section 3. Said viewers having viewed the premises shall estimate the quality and value of the property so proposed to be taken and used for the purposes aforesaid, and after having made a full and fair computation of the advantages and the disadvantages, they shall estimate and determine whether any, and if any what amount of damages will be sustained by the owner or owners of said ground by the taking and using any part or parts thereof for the purposes aforesaid, and make report to said Court within ten days thereafter, which report shall be filed, and if no exceptions thereto be filed within ten days thereafter, the same shall become absolute and binding upon all parties; but if exceptions shall be filed by either party within the time aforesaid, the said Court shall make proper orders for disposing of the same, and may if said exceptions be sustained, refer the report back to the same viewers for correction, or may set aside the same and appoint other viewers to make a new estimate and appraisement as aforesaid, and after final judgement, either party may have a writ of error from the Supreme Court as in other cases.

Section 4. When the report of the viewers shall have been made and returned to Court as aforesaid, said city may tender the amount of the estimated damages to the owner or owners of said land, his, her or their agent or representative, or may pay the same into court, and may thereupon take possession of, use and occupy the land so appropriated for use as a park, and for no other purpose whatever.

Sec. 5. When final judgment shall have been given in any case, and the appraised damages sustained by the taking of said grounds for the purpose aforesaid, thereby determined, and the amount thereof paid or tendered to the owner or owners, his, her or their agent or representative, or paid into court, the exclusive use, occupation and control of the ground so appraised shall become vested in the city of Pittsburgh for the purpose of a public park and for no other purpose.

Sec. 6. When ground shall have been purchased, in pursuance of the foregoing authority, it shall and may be lawful for the said city of Pittsburgh to sell at public sale to the highest and best bidder any part thereof which may not be required for park purposes, in such manner and upon such terms as Councils may direct, and the money received therefor shall be appropriated to the redemption of bonds issued for the purchase of grounds as aforesaid, or for the improvement and maintenance of said park.

Sec. 7. The Councils of said city of Pittsburgh, shall be, and are hereby authorized and empowered to cause to be issued, bonds in the name of the city of Pittsburgh to an amount not exceeding five hundred thousand dollars, bearing interest at a rate not exceeding seven per centum per annum, to be used for the purpose of purchasing and improving grounds for a public park, as hereinafter provided and for no other purposes.

Sec. 8. All bonds issued in pursuance of the foregoing Section, shall be in such forms and amounts, and payable at such times and places as Councils may by ordinance direct. *Provided*, That they shall each be signed by the Mayor, countersigned by the Controller and sealed with the corporate seal of said city.

Sec. 9. When any bonds shall have been executed in pursuance of the foregoing authority, they may be sold in such manner as Councils may direct, and the money received therefore shall be appropriated to the payment of the purchase money of grounds bought or for the payment of the estimated damages for the ground taken for the use of a public park, and not otherwise. Provided, That no bond shall be sold for less than par: And provided further, That nothing herein contained shall be construed to prevent the said city of Pittsburgh from contracting for the purchase of grounds payable in bonds issued in pursuance hereof.

Sec. 10 The separate account shall be kept of all bonds issued in pursuance of this act and of the proceeds of the sale thereof, and the said city shall have the right from time to time loan out to any bank or bankers on proper security at such rates of interest as may be agreed on on any balance on hand not required for immediate use.

Sec. 11. All bonds issued in pursuance of this act shall be exempt from State, county and local taxation, and shall be a legal investment for all moneys held by any person or corporation in a fiduciary capacity.

Mr. Burgwin in connection with the above offered a resolution that our representatives at Harrisburg be requested to use their earnest endeavors to have this bill enacted into a law, and moved that it be read three times and passed.

Considerable discussion ensued when Mr. Gallaher moved that the matter be laid on the table. Lost.

The question then recurred on the resolution of Mr. Burgwin.

Mr. Gallaher offered as an amendment that before a Park shall be purchased the question be submitted to the people.

Mr. Seely moved as an amendment that the draft be published once in the city papers before it be sent to Harrisburg. Lost.

Mr. Aiken called for the previous question. Sustained.

Mr. Kirk called for the yeas and nays on the passage of the resolution with the following result:

Ayes—Messrs. Ahl, Aiken, Burgwin, Chislett, Duncan, Friday, Herron, Jeremy, Jones E. P., Jones Isaac, Kehew, Liddell, Asdale, Littell, Lloyd, Marshall, Morrow, Murdock, Murray, Phillips, Scully, Wainright S. J., Wilson, Gross—24.

Nays—Messrs. Ahlborn, Coffin, Devlin, Donnelly, Edwards, Gallaher, Hoeh, House, Kirk, McCune, Miller, Neely, Rafferty, Schmidt, Seely, Shipton—16.

The resolution was then declared adopted.

Mr. Murdock presented a report from the Committee on Wooden Buildings authorizing the erection of several iron-clad buildings. Read three times and passed.

Mr. E. P. Jones presented a report from the Road Committee, stating that the expenses for the month of January had been $2,170. Accepted.

Also, an ordinance authorizing the opening of Ridge street to Miner street. Read three times and passed.

Also, a supplement to an ordinance opening Lang avenue from Penn avenue to Pennsylvania Railroad. Read three times and passed.

Also, the report of the viewers on Hazelwood avenue. Approved.

Mr. Aiken called up the ordinance passed in C. C. dividing the Sixteenth ward into two election districts. S. C. concurred in the action of C. C.

Mr. S. J. Wainwright called up the ordinance passed in C. C., fixing the salary of the Road Commissioner at $1,200. Laid over.

On motion, adjourned.

Common Branch.

MEMBERS PRESENT.

Messrs. Albietz, Anderson, Arthurs, Barr, Batchelor, Belfore, Beymer, Black, Bly, Booth, Brown, Buffum, Carroll, Caskey, Chalmers, Coyle, Dietrich, D. L. Fleming, John Fleming, Lewis J. Fleming, Follansbee, Froelich, Galisath, Gilmore, Hammond, Hambel, Hare, Hayden, Hauch, Evan Jones, J. H. Jones, Kinzer, Kohne, Kyle, Lageman, Lappan, Lowry, Mattern, McKelvy, McKim, Meyer, Miller, Moore, Morgan, R. H. Negley, W. B. Negley, Oliver, Price, Raible, Rosewell, Rowley, Scott, Seiferth, Sheeb, Sims, Snodgrass, Verner, Wallace, Watson and President Oliver.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

PETITIONS ETC.

Mr. Meyer of the Sixth Ward presented a petition for a Pipe Sewer on Marion Street from Quince Alley to Hope Street. Referred to Street Committee.

Mr. Price presented a petition for the opening of Locust Street to Stevenson Street in the Sixth Ward. Referred to Street Committee.

Mr. D. L. Fleming presented a resolution instructing the Second District Street Commissioner to put down a flag stone crossing on Wylie avenue, on the south side of Congress street, Seventh Ward—there being at that point no crossing for pedestrians.

Also, across Congress street, upper side of Franklin, same ward.

Also, across Webster avenue, at the head of Congress street, same ward.

Referred to Street Committee.

Mr. Snodgrass presented a petition from McQuaide & Co. for balance of $672 due them, on the construction of Sewer in the Eleventh Ward, with motion for reference to the Finance Committee.

Mr. Morgan amended so as to have the petition go to the Street Committee. Adopted.

Mr. Rowley, a petition for a change of grade in Erin street. Referred to Street Committee.

Mr. McKim presented a petition for the grading of Mulberry alley, from Thirty-sixth to Thirty-seventh street. Referred to Street Committee.

Mr. Rowland Smith presented a series of resolutions adopted at the recent meeting of citizens of the Twelfth, Thirteenth, Fifteenth, Sixteenth and Seventeenth wards, petitioning for a new market-house. Referred to Market Committee.

Mr. Smith presented a petition for the opening of Main street, from Liberty to Penn avenue, and moved that the ordinance be placed on its final reading.

Mr. McKelvy amended to refer it to the Street Committee, which was adopted.

Mr. Watson presented a resolution asking for the opening of Thirty-fifth street to Penn avenue. Referred to Street Committee.

Mr. Lageman presented a petition for a board walk on Butler street in the Eighteenth ward, from the east end of the cemetery wall to the station of the Allegheny Valley Railway. Referred to the Street Committee.

Mr. R. H. Negley presented a petition accompanied by appropriate ordinances providing for the opening, grading, paving and bridging of Butler street from Highland avenue to Negley's run road. The petition was received and filed, and the ordinances were under a suspension of rules. Read three times and passed. Messrs. John Wilkinson, Wm. Scott and Wm. Irwin were appointed viewers in the matter of the bridge over Shade's run, and Messrs. Edward Davis, S. Chadwick and George G. Negley as viewers on the street opening.

Mr. Batchelor offered a resolution that at the next regular election of the voters of the Nineteenth, Twentieth, Twenty-first and Twenty-second wards a ballot be taken for a choice between the Baum and Beymer properties offered for a Market House. On the advice of the President the resolution was laid over in order that it might come up for debate.

Mr. Morgan presented a petition from W. R. Dravo asking for privilege to erect frame kitchen addition to residence on Thirty-eighth street. Referred to Committee on Wooden Buildings. Also a petition from S. Y. Kennedy, insurance agent, asking reduction on city tax. Referred to Finance Committee.

COMMITTEE REPORTS.

Mr. Morgan, from the Committee on Streets, reported ordinances for the opening and grading and paving of Vine street from Centre to Wiley avenue. Rules suspended and ordinance read three times and finally passed. Messrs. Robt. Inder, James Irwin and L. J. Blanchard were appointed receivers.

Also an ordinance for the grading and paving of Rose street from Dinwiddie to Overhill street. Read three times and finally passed.

MORE DAMAGES.

Also a resolution authorizing the City Controller to pay to Frank Seibert the sum of $300, amount of claim adjusted for damages is his property sustained from the Fifth avenue sewer break.

Mr. Morgan explained that the claim had been carefully weighed and examined into by the Street Committee, and that sworn testimony in the case had been taken. He thought it should be paid, especially as the city had been found against in an action of the same character just concluded in the courts.

Mr. Negley wanted to know whose fault it was. If the contractor's, he should pay the bill, and not the city.

Mr. Morgan said the fault could not be fixed directly to any one, but Mr. Siebert, the claimant, was most certainly not to be blamed.

The resolution ordering the payment was then adopted.

The report of the viewers on the Marion street sewer was presented, but was laid over, under the objection of Mr. Kinzer.

CITY PRINTING.

Mr. Chalmers, Chairman of the Committee on Printing, reported that the job printing had been awarded to W. S. Haven, the lowest and best bidder.

COMPENSATION INCREASED.

The Committee had also arrived at the conclusion to pay the official papers a compensation of two thousand dollars per annum, and an ordinance was introduced to that effect.

Mr. Arthurs moved to amend, provided that that sum does not exceed advertising rates.

Mr. Chalmers accepted the amendment.

Mr. Follansbee moved to amend the amendment by fixing the compensation at the established advertising rates of the city press.

Several voices said "no, no, that will be too much," and at the suggestion of the Chair the second amendment was withdrawn, and as amended by Dr. Arthurs the ordinance passed on its third reading, under a suspension of the rules, by an almost unanimous vote.

SIXTEENTH WARD ELECTIONS.

Mr. Morgan presented the following as the report of the Special Committee on the Sixteenth ward contested seat:

To the Common Council of the City of Pittsburgh:

Gentlemen—Your Committee appointed to investigate the contested election in the Sixteenth ward beg leave to report: That they have examined the election officers of the Sixteenth ward under oath, and find, from all the evidence obtained, that so much informality existed that your Committee cannot determine as to which of the claimants is entitled to the seat, and therefore recommend the passage of the following resolutions:

Resolved, That the seat of R. H. Smith, sitting member from the Sixteenth ward, be declared vacant.

Resolved, That the Mayor be, and he is hereby authorized to call an election of the qualified voters of the Sixteenth ward for the purpose of electing one person to represent said ward in Common Council.

[Signed] BENJ. W. MORGAN.
CHAS. W. BATCHELOR,
ADDISON ARTHURS,
J. C. MCKELVY.

The report was received, and the resolution accompanying it was placed on its third reading and final passage.

Mr. Kinzer offered an ordinance for benefits received from public improvements. The ordinance was put on its third reading and final passage under suspension of the rules.

THE NEW MARKET GROUND.

Mr. Batchelor's resolution and ordinance laid over previously for discussion, was then taken up.

Mr. Morgan opposed the matter on the ground that now the citizens of other wards than his own would outvote his constituents, and yet the location that would be chosen would be against the interest of the people, whose representative he was.

The resolution was lost by a tie vote.

APPROPRIATIONS.

Common Council here received the ordinance of Select Council appropriating one thousand dollars compensation for extra services rendered during the year by Mr. Patterson, the Mayor's clerk.

The ordinance was put on its third reading and final passage, and passed almost unanimously.

An ordinance authorizing the Printing Committee to contract for the printing of the Municipal Record was passed.

An act repealing the mode of appointing viewers, and the mode of appealing to courts, was offered by Mr. Morgan, and a resolution approving and recommending its passage by the Legislature was offered.

The act was approved by the passage of the resolution.

ASSESSMENTS ON IMPROVEMENTS.

Mr. Morgan offered an ordinance to provide for the payment of the costs of Street Improvements. The ordinance provided that all assessments on street improvements should be paid 60 per cent., on the first day of the month after the work has been commenced and the balance within sixty days after the work has been finished. This is intended to furnish funds for the payment of contractors from assessments as the work is going on.

The ordinance was read three times and finally passed under a suspension of the rules.

All business from Select Council was concurred in.

On motion adjourned.

METEOROLOGICAL RECORD.

Observations Made by the Storm Signal Service of the United States Army.

Pittsburgh, Feb. 13, 1871.	A. M. 7:23	P. M. 4:23	P. M. 11:23
Height of Barometer	30.28	30.20	30.17
Change since last report	+14	+01	-12
Thermometer	24°	29°	29°
Change in last 24 hours	-11°	-6°	+3°
Direction of wind	N.	S.	N.
Velocity of wind—miles per hour	8	6	4
Pressure of wind—pounds per square foot	0.32	0.18	0.08
Force of wind reduced to Beaufort scale—approx	B	B	B
Amount of cloud	4	4	4
Rain-fall since last report—inches and hdths	0.25		
State of weather	3	3	3

NOTES—In the telegraphic reports, only the variations of the Barometer since the last reports are given; decrease being marked here and throughout the table by the minus sign. Character of the winds, to save space, is indicated by letters of the alphabet, as follows: A, just perceptible; B, gently brisk; C, pleasant brisk; D, very brisk; E, high wind; F, very high wind; G, strong gale; H, violent gale; I, hurricane; J, most violent hurricane.

State of the weather is expressed by figures from 1 to 6: 1 being clear, no cloud; 2, fair, ¼ to ½ cloud; 3, cloudy, ¾ to wholly covered; 4, light rain; 5, heavy rain; 6, snow.

The barometer is corrected for temperature, elevation and instrumental error.

HENRY D. SCHMIDT, Observer.

Sixth Ward School Board—Important Meeting—Heavy Assessment.

The Sixth Ward School Board held a meeting last evening, at which some important business was transacted.

Mr. Wm. H. Everson was elected Treasurer, he agreeing to give five per cent. interest on the current daily balances of the funds of the board. Messrs. Morrow and Grede were instructed to procure a sufficient bond from the Treasurer elect for the faithful performance of his duty. Heretofore we may say two per cent. has been paid by the Board for the handling of the money.

On motion of Mr. Case, the late Treasurer was instructed to hand over to Mr. Everson the amount of money belonging to the Board remaining in his hands.

The committee appointed to audit the bounty account reported progress.

The Secretary presented a notice from the City Solicitor stating that the school property has been assessed $1,458.00 for the opening of Forbes street.

After some discussion, during which it was agreed that the assessment was rather "steep" and that considering that nothing had yet been done in the work, a committee consisting of Messrs. Morrow and Case was appointed to see to the matter.

A number of bills were passed upon and other business pertaining to the schools was transacted, after which the board adjourned.

Home Dissatisfaction.

Very considerable surprise was felt by Pittsburghers at the return of officer Dressler and Mr. Cherry minus the absconding Lincoln. Governor Butler's action was very severely criticized here, and we observe, in glancing over a recent issue of the Omaha *Herald*, received by officer Dressler yesterday, that the Governor's action is denounced in unmeasured terms, and with rather strained rhetoric, by a correspondent of that journal. The correspondent, "Bobster," dwells on the regularity of the requisition and, in connection with Governor Butler's refusal to respond with the criminal, says that Lincoln was arrested by ex-Attorney General Robinson; that that gentleman afterwards became his counsel; "that parties well known first robbed the *supposed* robber, Lincoln, of $1,700, and then turned him off without any return." "Bobster" then makes the guarded announcement that "the lion clutched the lion's share of these spoils;" that the right place for Butler would be behind the bars that check the limits of crime. "He pronounces Lincoln, not the man but the Nebraska town, the coop of corruption, where crime roosts." "The voice of the real people," "Bobster" says, "is being heard, and that voice consigns the Governor to the penitentiary." According to "Bobster," however, retribution awaits Butler; the Legislature will be says adjourn till March on motion of Mr. Doom, and the charges will be fully investigated. We hope so.

Southside German Theater.

Our German friends seem to be undergoing a sort of Fatherland revival. Last night they inaugurated a German Theatre, in East Birmingham. The national spirit seems to burn with peculiar fervor on that side of the river. They have improvised a dramatic temple in the Turner Hall, on Jayne street. Last night it was opened with decided eclat, under the supervision of C. Forst, Stage Manager. "Annie Liere," a play of five acts, was put upon the boards, and rendered to the satisfaction of an appreciative audience. The play was written by Herman Hersch.

The hall was very well filled, and by an audience as respectable in composition as numbers. It is proposed to give weekly dramatic entertainments henceforth, with the exception of next Monday night, which has been set apart for a grand masked ball.

The play was succeeded by a dance, which was participated in by the larger number of those present. We wish our German friends all measure of success.

Forty Colored Jurors Drawn.

The day of jubilee has certainly come in full beauty and significance to our colored people. They have been lifted up to real citizenship and will soon forget the bitter days of yore when they were held in bondage in the South and cruelly ignored and deprived of rights and privileges in the North. They have already been inducted into voting at the polls and been made eligible to offices high and low. The drawing of the venire of jurors for 1871 has just been completed by our Commissioners, and, in the list of some nineteen hundred names, those of forty colored citizens appear, being a fair proportion of that element in the county vote. It will be a novelty to see in our Court House Jury box a number of colored men sitting in judgment on accused fellow-citizens, but times have changed and the colored people may well feel assured that they have now all the rights and privileges which belong to American citizenship.

THE COURTS.

U. S. District Court—Judge McCandless.

George H. Bennett was brought in yesterday morning and plead guilty to carrying on the business of hotel keeper without paying the special tax. He was mulcted in $10 fine, the special tax of $75, and costs.

The next case taken up was that of the United States vs. R. L. Anderson, indicted for violating the revenue law by selling cigars from packages that had not been stamped. The case is still on trial.

The District Attorney stated that a number of tavern keepers who had been indicted for carrying on the business of tavern keepers without paying the special tax, were present in the court and desired to plead guilty. The following defendants were then called and entered pleas of guilty: James M'Ginley, John Devlin, Philip Kurth, C. Matthews, Owen Sullivan, Tully M'Intyre, Philip Hemlinger. The parties were each required to pay a fine of $10, the special tax, and the costs.

District Court—Judge Kirkpatrick.

The jury yesterday, in the case of Brown vs Ross, et al., before noted, returned a verdict for defendants.

M. McCullough vs. the F. E. M. Turnpike Co. was first taken up. Sci. Fa. to revive judgment. Verdict for plaintiff for $1,071.31.

Fred Steinker vs. S. B. Lindley. Action on book account. Verdict for plaintiff for $140.94.

James Rynd, et al. vs. F. K. Duff, et al. Action on a promissory note. Verdict for plaintiff for $436 91.

Ryand, Claney & Co vs. Duff & Ewing, action on account. Verdict for plaintiff in the sum of $238.25.

Margaret Rinehart vs. Caroline Kuhlman. This was a *sci. fa.* to revive a judgment. Verdict for plaintiff for $2,320.20.

The next case taken up was that of Casper School vs. F. Maul. Action to recover for an alleged trespass. On trail.

TRIAL LIST FOR TUESDAY.

95 Veil vs. Midas Petroleum Co.
96 Dake et ux. vs. Moon.
98 Duke et ux. vs. Dickson.
99 NcNish et al. vs. Duff.
103 McCombs vs. Percheant.
104 Schneider vs. Czarnecki.
122 (old list) Brown vs. Pennock et al.
106 Holiday vs. Wilson.

Common Pleas—Judge Collier.

Monday, February 13.—The jury, in the case of Samuel Hibler et ux. vs. Henry Jones, before noted, found for plaintiff.

Reynolds & Payne vs. David Baldwin. Action on book account. Verdict for plaintiff in the sum of $74 62.

TRIAL LIST FOR TUESDAY.

7. Wright vs. Davis et al.
99. Arthurs vs. Pennsylvania Railroad Company.
122. Leader vs. Phœnix Brick Company.
123. Com., for use, vs. Stewart.
124. Com., for use, vs. Stewart.
126. Smith vs. Werkel.
128. Hoffman vs. Hoffmerster.
129. Dickson, Marshall & Co. vs. Koverman.
130. Bruce, Negley et al. vs. Carline.
131. Fulton & McGann vs. O'Hara.
132. Glyde vs. Ryan.
133. John W. Johnson vs. H. C. Fry.

Amusements.

Pittsburgh Opera House.—A very large and highly appreciative audience greeted Mr. Adams last evening in the character of Enoch Arden. The play was exceedingly well put on the stage. The scenery, the costumes, the properties and machinery were all very appropriate, while the orchestral music was exceedingly fine, and very creditable. Mr. Canning and his able assistants have saved no pains or expense in making this beautiful play appear to the very best advantage. Mr. Adams in this new *role* of the sad sailor pleased us very much, and rendered the difficult part with truth and naturalness. Mr. Gotthold as Philip Ray, the clever, good-hearted miller, acted with his usual good taste and judgment. We admire this gentleman's acting, and can truthfully give him high praise. Of Miss Vernon's Annie Leigh (or Lee, as it should be) we can also speak well. The rest of the characters were rendered in an acceptable and pleasing manner. The piece is to be repeated to-night, and we advise all who take pleasure in looking at a good play well performed, to attend. We feel that all will be satisfied.

We hope to-night, and hereafter those *gentlemen* who annoyed the audience with their loud talking in the lobby, will not be present, or if present, that they will have a little more consideration for the enjoyment of the rest, than they showed last night. Another annoyance that we and others noticed, we hope to see hereafter prevented by the management. We speak of the unlocking of the doors leading into the vestibule, just before the closing of the piece. We are glad to see that our people have learned to keep their seats until the red curtain drops, and since this interruption has ceased to mar the closing scenes of the play, we trust that the other, just mentioned will not be continued. It is unnecessary and very annoying, and we know that a mere mention of it will procure its discontinuance.

Trimble's Varieties.—"Paris Surrendered" gives infinite satisfaction to the habitues of this resort. The can-can offers attractions of an unequivocal character to those who care for grace and agility. A number of marked attractions are always kept on hand by Manager Aims. All tastes, almost, of a variety range, are tolerably certain to be delighted by some phase or other of the entertainment nightly on the boards at the Varieties.

The Library Lectures.—We are glad to be able to announce that Mr. John B. Gough will be in our city, and will lecture on the evenings of next Friday and Monday. There are few lecturers in the field more popular than Mr. Gough. Wherever he goes he is met with crowded houses, and somehow he seems to have the knack of pleasing the enormous audiences he addresses, no matter how often he repeats the same lecture before them. But this time, we are informed, both of his addresses will be new, a fact which would doubtless, if such a thing were possible, increase the audiences which will greet him.

Return of the Great Orator.—No one who heard Wendell Phillips when he was here a few weeks ago can fail to be pleased to learn that the Lecture Committee has succeeded in inducing him to return again this season. On the evening of Monday, the 27th inst., he will deliver the most famous of his lectures—that upon the "Lost Arts," in Library Hall. The mere announcement of this fact will be sufficient to fill every seat in that capacious auditorium.

A Recalcitrant Witness.

Some Greensburg officials are determined to have the evidence of Ex-Burgess of Braddock, John H. Gibson, in a marital difficulty, in Greensburg. Mr. Gibson stands in regard to this case very much in the attitude of the horse who might be brought to water but who wouldn't drink. It was once the misfortune of our sometime Burgess to have married a couple while filling his office in the borough. It is asserted by the litigant present husband of the lady that she had disregarded our American and Christian monogamic customs and married him while a former husband was living. He instituted legal proceedings in the Westmoreland courts, sitting at Greensburg, and the process of these courts has repeatedly come to Mr. Gibson at his home at Braddock, commanding him to come and speak whereof he knows in the premises. Unworthy has turned a deaf ear to the requisition, and, Westmoreland justitial patience being exhausted, he yesterday left for Greensburg in the custody of two officers of the burg. The gentleman is to be pitied. One's own marital broils are troublesome enough, but to be mixed up in the domestic squabbles of others, Mr. Gibson probably thinks, is unendurable.

Wright to be Remanded.

Mr. Fuller, a Washington county farmer, whose oxen had been driven away by Wright, arrived in the city yesterday and had an interview with the prisoner. Mr. Fuller's oxen are those which were stabled by Wright at the Shafer House on the Southside, and which were reclaimed by their owner. He visited Wright in jail, and had some conversation with him. That gentleman affects to be able to explain his little droving operation. He offers to make a deposit of money and to arrange the matter to the satisfaction of all concerned. Precisely how he would be able to do this, he did not make quite clear; doubtless because he could not. Mr. Hoe, another Washington county victim of Wright is expected in the city to-day. He also claims to have lost a yoke of fine oxen, and lays his loss to Wright's account. He states that the oxen were traced to the river and over the bridge, and that a description of their driver corresponds in all details to Wright's personel. Wright will have a hearing at ten o'clock this morning before Alderman Strain, when, that magistrate hopes, he will forego any experiments of a blood-letting kind which would dim the brightness of his office carpets. Wright will probably to-day be remanded to Washington county.

Pays for His Interference.

Francis O'Donnell yesterday looked in at the office of Alderman Strain and preferred an information against Jimmy Joint for assault and battery. If the allegations of O'Donnell are to believed, Joint tried to disjoint him. They were in a house formerly known as the "Three Pigeons," now the "Emerald House." A lively brawl was got under way. From the volume of complaint, Joint must have been badly used up. When an officer interfered to separate the parties, a bystander named James Kianey attempted to interfere. The result was that Kinney was taken into custody and arraigned with Joint before the Alderman. The parties to the quarrel found they could settle their little difficulty without recourse to the law, and were allowed to do so by the Alderman. The third party, the interfering Kinney, bore the brunt of the affair, and for his officious intermeddling was fined five dollars, and, in default, was sent to jail.

In Despairing Quest.

Boarding house litigation keeps fairly abreast of all other legal embroilments. Frederick Arnold yesterday made his way from East street, Allegheny, where he resides, to the office of Alderman Koenig, and made an information for fraud against Nicolaus Hensel. He alleges that Hensel some time ago came to his house and made a contract for board at a stipulated rate per week. Hensel at no time approved himself, Arnold alleges, a ready money man, and soon ran up a board bill of considerable magnitude. He had finesse enough to keep Arnold expectant of the cash until he had succeeded in removing all his effects from the house on East street. The despairing search after his debtor made by Arnold has thus far proved unsuccessful, and we much question whether the warrant issued yesterday by Alderman Koenig will be much more effectual.

Mortuary Report.

The following is the weekly report of deaths in the city of Pittsburgh, for the week ending February 12, 1871:

Apoplexy of the lungs, 1; bronchitis, 2; cancer of the uterus, 2; consumption, 3; croup, 1; disease of the heart, 1; general dropsy, 1; dysentery, 2; scarlet fever, 3; hemorrhage of the lungs, 1; inflamation of the lungs, 5; marasmus, 2; old age, 1; premature birth, 1; small pox, 1. Of the above there were: Under 1 year, 5; from 1 to 2, 4; 2 to 5, 3; 5 to 10, 5; 15 to 20, 1; 20 to 30, 1; 30 to 40, 4; 40 to 50, 2; 60 to 70, 3; 80 to 90, 1. Males, 14; females, 15; white, 29; colored, 0; total, 29. By order of the Board of Health, J. McCANDLESS, Health Physician.

The Temperance Cause—Meeting To-night.

Another public meeting of the Young Men's Christian Temperance Association will be held to-night at The Home, Duquesne Way, near Hand street bridge. The exercises will commence at 7:30 o'clock. Good speakers will be in attendance. Seats reserved for ladies. A cordial invitation is extended to our citizens to be present. The Society is an open one. No passwords. No collection. No fee.

WHAT BEFELL!

Two Men of McKeesport Disappear—Possible Foul Play or Drowning.

"Sandy" Burns, of Dravosburg, and Thomas Williams, of McKeesport, have disappeared from that town in a very vague way. Whether they are living or dead no man can say with any certainty. Burns was a coal miner in the employ of R. C. Risher & Co., and Williams was a pit boss at the works of William Stone, adjoining those of the former. Sunday morning about three o'clock Burns came to Williams's house, which is immediately on the banks of the Monongahela river, and desired to be rowed over to Dravosburg by Williams. The latter had some distaste to leaving his bed and buffeting the stream, but finally went, previously giving to his wife his months' wages, which he had received the day before. He received from her, in return, some keys, amongst them that which unlocked the ferry skiff. Since neither of the men have been seen or heard of.

Later in the day the oars taken by Williams from his house were found broken on the wharf. The skiff was undisturbed in its place, and no other seemed to be missing. Whether the men have levanted for some purpose, or had taken a skiff, and, in the attempt to cross, had been swamped by some passing steamer, is the absorbing question in McKeesport. In support of the latter theory it is stated that Burns was very decidedly drunk, and that, about the time they left Williams's house, the steamer "Elisha Bennett" passed down the river. Both were married men.

Ormsby Borough Council.

The Council of Ormsby Borough held a special meeting Friday night, the 10th.

Members present, Messrs. R. S. Alston, Jno. B. Lutz, Jno. J. Reese, John Ango, Wm. McClurg, and Burgess James S. Atkinson.

Minutes of the last meeting read and adopted.

On motion, the Street Regulator was instructed to make some changes in a plan he presented, and to have a plan prepared as changed, to be registered.

On motion, the Street Committee were instructed to have an ordinance drawn in accordance with the plan, as changed.

On motion, the Street Committee were instructed to have an ordinance with the proper restrictions drawn, granting the Pittsburgh, Virginia and Charleston Railroad the right of way through the borough, and to present the ordinance for action of Council at the next meeting.

On motion, the Committee on Gas and Water were instructed to have two fire plugs put in, one at or near the corner of Union and Carson streets, and one at the corner of Jane and McClurg streets.

On motion, the same committee were instructed to have gas lamps erected along the line of Carson street, they to use their discretion as to the number and locality.

Several bills were presented and warrants ordered.

A financial report of the borough was read and accepted, and, on motion, ordered to be printed in the official papers.

There being no borough constable, Burgess Atkinson was instructed to procure policemen from the city to maintain peace in the borough during Saturday and Sunday.

Uterine Diseases.

By this term we understand those diseases peculiar to females, such as obstructions, irregularities, cessations, derangements, immoderations, and disorders which are so common, and which exercise such a powerful influence in the destruction of female health.

It is all-important that the physician should be able to discriminate closely between these affections, as some of them are directly opposite in their nature, and each requires a specific treatment different from the other, a mistake in which it would be dangerous and perhaps fatal.

That the urine in these disorders is of a peculiar character and quality, every physician of experience in this way knows, and can at once perceive the difference between these excesses and deficiencies.

And in treating these complaints especially, he must ever keep in mind these pathological differences, and prescribe such remedies as will check up the excessive or restore the diminished secretions; remove the morbid conditions, and reinvigorate the whole system.

The good effects of this kind of treatment will be observed in a very short time, and as a general thing the patient recovers entirely in a few weeks.

We have had hundreds of cases where the good effects of our remedies were observable in a very few weeks. The dull, languid expression of the eyes began to disappear, the dark-colored circle beneath them gradually lessened, the skin became more natural, the complexion improved, the appetite returned, the strength increased, the palpitation ceased, the nervousness wore off, the shortness of breath became less troublesome, the puffed face was no longer observed, and the disposition became less irritable and more cheerful, and the general health entirely restored.

Many of these changes are among the first signs of improvement after commencing the treatment.

Afflicted women, brighten your hopes and try our remedies.

Our daily practical observations enable us to determine the precise conditions of the system in every case, and to prescribe the appropriate remedy in every disease.

DR. OLDSHUE,
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On Ridge street, fronting the Park; large lots. The house has all the modern improvements, and fine stable and carriage house on the rear, fronting on a sixty foot street. This property is one of the most desirable for location &c., now in the market, and it is a rare opportunity to be able to secure so very desirable property in every respect. For further particulars inquire of C. H. Love, 58 Fourth avenue. TXS

John L. Dawes would respectfully inform his friends and the public that he has not quit the painting business, as has been reported, and will be glad to see those in want of House and Sign Painting at the office of

JNO. L. DAWES & BRO.,
T THS 96 and 98 Third avenue.

116 Market Street. 116 Market Street.—Weed Sewing Machines, in every variety and style, and unvarying efficacy. Call and examine the Weed before making your selection. T THS

DIED:

HASLETT—On Saturday, February 11th, 1871, at his late residence in Reserve township, at 11½ o'clock P. M., WILLIAM HASLETT, in the 85th year of his age.

The funeral will take place from the First Reformed Presbyterian Church, corner of Sandusky street and Gay alley, Allegheny city, WEDNESDAY MORNING, Feb. 15th, at 10 o'clock. The friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

BORLAND—On Sunday, 12th inst., at half-past 1 o'clock P. M., at the family residence, No. 161 South avenue, Allegheny city, Mrs. SARAH BORLAND, wife of Moses Borland, aged 73 years.

Funeral THIS AFTERNOON, at 2 o'clock. The friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

HUBLEY—On Monday afternoon February 13, 1871, at 4 o'clock, MARY KNOX, eldest daughter of Jacob B. Hubley, in the 14th year of her age.

The funeral will take place from the residence of Capt. Alexander Hay, No. 55 First avenue, on WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON, at 2 o'clock. The friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

CARR—In Philadelphia, on Saturday evening, February 11, 1871, at eleven o'clock, ELLA, eldest daughter of Jesse W. Carr, in the seventeenth year of her age.

ALEXANDER AIKEN, Undertaker, No. 166 FOURTH AVENUE. Coffins of all kinds, Shrouds, Crape, Gloves, and every description of Funeral Furnishing Goods furnished. Agent for Raymond & Co.'s Patent Metallic Burial Cases. Rooms open day and night. Hearse and Carriages furnished.

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Caps, Powder, Shot, Wads, Bullets, Game Bags, Shot Belts, Powder Flasks, Gun Material and Sporting Goods of every description at very low prices. I deal exclusively in Fire Arms and Gun Material, and have the only full assortment in the city, and sell at lower prices than can be had anywhere in the country. Call and see or send for a price list before purchasing elsewhere. Fire Arms neatly and promptly repaired. Guns for hire. Tents for sale. Army Rifles, Carbines and Revolvers bought or traded for.

J. H. JOHNSTON,
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ja21 119 179 Smithfield street, Pittsburgh, Pa.

U. S. PATENT OFFICE,
WASHINGTON, D. C., February 6, 1871.

ON THE PETITION OF ARCHIBALD H. ROWAND, of Allegheny City, Pennsylvania, praying for the extension of a Patent granted to him on the 12th day of May, 1857, for an improvement in Binding Books.

It is ordered that the testimony in the case be closed on the 11th day of April next, that the time for filing arguments and the Examiner's report be limited to the 21st day of April next, and that said petition be heard on the 26th day of April next.

Any person may oppose this extension.

SAM'L A. DUNCAN,
fe11:m63-s Acting Commissioner of Patents.

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Engine, Locomotive and Rolling Mill Brasses made promptly to order. Office—583 PENN STREET. Foundry—Corner 17th and RAILROAD STREETS, Pittsburgh, Pa.

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A splendid new stock of

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se3 Merchant Tailor, 72 Smithfield street

STRAYED.—NOTICE.—Five Stray HOGS were brought to my premises, Union Hotel, Irwin avenue, Allegheny city. The owner can have them by paying costs, &c.
fe7:m77 F. McGRADY.

LIME.—300 bbls fresh Cleveland; 100 bbls Eastern; for sale by
fe7 J. B. CANFIELD, 141 First avenue.

HOMINY.—25 bbls Pure Pearl Flint Hominy, for sale by J. B. CANFIELD,
fe1 141 First avenue.

Soldiers', Widows' and Orphans' Charity Fair.

The Fair which is now in progress at Messrs. Miller & McCullough's Hall, No. 56 Diamond, Allegheny, will, judging from present indications, be a decided financial success. The first week of its continuance closed on Saturday, and the receipts of the week were highly satisfactory to the managers. The object of the Fair is to secure money for the Relief Fund of Post 88, G. A. R., for soldiers, widows and orphans, which is nearly depleted, owing to the demand made upon it during the present season. The tables and booths have been restocked with many useful and fancy articles, by the ladies, who are devoting great attention.

The contest for the various articles is becoming exciting, and a large number of votes are polled nightly.

The fair will be continued every evening during the present week, and we hope the citizens generally will attend, and aid by their presence and purses the noble object which inaugurated it. All books of contestants will be required to be handed in by Wednesday evening the 15th, after which time sealed votes will be received until further orders.

The vote stood as follows on Saturday evening:

Gold watch for most popular engineer, C. W. Ramsey, 200; Morris V. Miller, 175.

Silver lantern for most popular Railroad conductor, J. Hopkins, 160; Mr. Shearer, 212.

Gold headed cane for most popular steamboat captain, Captain W. W. Martin, 100; Captain H. M. Dunlap, 75; Captain Moore, 60; Captain James Gordon, 67; Captain W. J. Kountz, 87; Captain Hazlett, 91.

Gold headed cane for most popular candidate for District Attorney, Commodore G. R. Cochran, 100; Colonel Thomas M. Bayne, 82; Major E. A. Montooth, 93.

Sett of Gold bracelets to most popular writing teacher, Miss Decky, 125; Miss Holmes, 175.

Gold watch for most popular gentleman, W. H. Moore, 225; Wm. Hagey, 180.

Tea set for most popular gentleman—John A. Myler 218; George J. Parkins 180.

Gold watch for most popular principal of schools—B. F. Gamba 165; E. M. Still 167.

Barber chair to most popular barber—T. Jahn 200; Lysles & Scroggins 170; C. Jones 131.

Sewing machine for most popular lady—Miss Todd 80; Miss Campbell 93; Mrs. McCrey 100; Miss Montgomery 106.

Gold watch and chain for most popular teacher in public schools—Miss Lotta V. Gemmell 272; Miss Lida Wilson 238.

Solid Watch for the most popular gentleman—George W. Weaver 182, S. A. Barr 211.

Afghan robe by the most popular livery man—Fairman & Bros. 86; Harper & Co. 73; Charles & Peebles 69.

Sign Painting.—If you want a good sign at the lowest figure, 96 and 98 Third avenue, is the place to get it.
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Those who are suffering from coughs, colds, hoarseness, sore throat, &c., should try *"The Troches,"* a simple remedy which is in almost every case effectual.

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MONEY TO LOAN.—Bonds Stock and Mortgages bought and sold by George B. Hill, corner of Wood street and Third-avenue. tf.

Buy for your mother, wife or sister, a Weed Sewing Machine, and you will find it placed among her household goods. T THS

BUSINESS CHANGES.

DISSOLUTION OF CO-PARTNERSHIP—Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between John C. Schaupp and Thomas McMichael, under the name and style of

John C. Schaupp & Co.,

in the Feed, Grain and Flour business, was dissolved by mutual consent on the 1st day of January, 1871.

All the debts of said firm will be paid by Thomas McMichael, at the old place of business, 52 Fifth Avenue Extension.

JOHN C. SCHAUPP,
THOMAS McMICHAEL.
PITTSBURGH Feb. 10, 1871. fe10:m57

CO-PARTNERSHIP.

The public are hereby respectfully notified that

Mr. John D. Carson,

has been admitted a member of our firm, which will be hereafter known under the style of

JOHN A. RENSHAW & CO.,

Who will continue the wholesale and retail Family Grocery business, at the old stand.

JOHN A. RENSHAW,
Corner Liberty and Ninth street.
FEBRUARY 1st, 1871. fe6

WITHDRAWAL.

The undersigned having sold out all their interest in the EXCELSIOR FLINT GLASS CO. to the other members of said company as of the first day of January, 1871, have withdrawn from said Company, and are not and have not been since the said first day of January, 1871, members of said company, and have not been since that time liable for any of its contracts. All debts due the said company will be collected by WM. C. ROBERTSON and JAMES M. LINDSAY.

JAMES LINDSAY,
WM. DITHRIDGE,
JOSEPH REINHART,
fe7:m50 JAMES M. LINDSAY.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the Co-partnership heretofore existing between J. B. CAMPBELL and C. E. BOSTWICK, engaged in the Produce business, is dissolved by mutual consent. All debts to be settled by either of the old firm.

J. B. CAMPBELL,
C. E. BOSTWICK.

J. B. CAMPBELL

Has removed to his new Warehouse,

No. 24 Smithfield Street,

Where he will continue the business and be glad to see all his old customers. fe8 m-3

CO-PARTNERSHIP.

WAGNER, LEECH & CO., Pittsburgh.
McHENRY, LEECH & CO., Philadelphia.

PITTSBURGH, January 2, 1871.

We have this day formed a Copartnership as Brokers and Commission Merchants in Petroleum and its products. Warehouse, Delaware River Philadelphia.

A. R. McHENRY, Sr., Philadelphia.
RICHARD T. LEECH, Pittsburgh.
ja16:110 I. WAGNER, Pittsburgh.

PROFESSIONAL.

H. B. SWOOPE,

ATTORNEY-AT-LAW.

And United States District Attorney, will attend to professional business entrusted to him, both in Federal and State Courts.

OFFICE in CUSTOM HOUSE, 2d story. oc29:f20

H. H. McCORMICK,

Attorney-at-Law,

No. 89 GRANT STREET.

Prompt attention given to all kinds of legal business. ja2:416

B. F. KENNEDY,

Attorney-at-Law,

No. 116 FIFTH AVENUE, 2d floor, Room No. 2.

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Samuel McMasters,

ALDERMAN, EX-OFFICIO JUSTICE OF THE PEACE and POLICE MAGISTRATE.

Office, No. 100 GRANT STREET, opposite St. Paul's Cathedral. oc5:e5

ARCHIBALD BLAKELY,

Attorney-at-Law,

No. 116 FIFTH AVENUE,

oc5:59-r Pittsburgh, Pa.

JAS. W. MURRAY

Attorney at Law,

NO. 89 FIFTH AVENUE.

jan4:h57 Pittsburgh.

A. BAILIE,

Alderman and Police Magistrate.

Collecter of City and County Taxes for the First ward. Office, 127 LACOCK STREET, Allegheny.
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MAHONING HOUSE,

ORRSVILLE,

(North of Mahoning,)

JOSEPH FREEMAN,

Proprietor.

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SPECIAL NOTICES.

CITY REPUBLICAN EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.—There will be a meeting of the Republican City Executive Committee on WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON, February 15th, at 2 o'clock at SELECT COUNCIL CHAMBER. A full attendance is desired.

JOS. A. BUTLER, Chairman.
JOS. HARTMAN, Secretary. fe11

ELECTION NOTICE—The annual meeting of the Stockholders of the SUPERIOR IRON COMPANY will be held at the office of the Company, No. 358 Penn street, on TUESDAY, March 14th, 1871, at 2 o'clock, P. M., to elect Directors for the ensuing year, and transact such other business as may come before the meeting.

fe9:m49 JOHN SCOTT, Secretary.

PITTSBURGH & CONNELLSVILLE R. R. COMPANY,
PITTSBURGH, January 20, 1871.

NOTICE TO BONDHOLDERS.—On and after the First Day of February next Coupon No. 23, Turtle Creek Division Construction Bonds, will be paid on presentation and delivery at the Treasurer's office, corner of Grant and Water streets, Pittsburgh.

ja21:s77th JOHN H. PAGE, Jr., Treas'r.

KNAP FORT PITT FOUNDRY COMPANY,
Of Pittsburgh, Pa.,
PITTSBURGH, January 31, 1871.

THE ANNUAL ELECTION FOR (7) SEVEN DIRECTORS of this Company will be held at their office, on TUESDAY, February 14th, 1871, at 10:30 A. M.

fe1:m48 O. METCALF, Secretary.

ALLEGHENY VALLEY RAILROAD CO.,
Office of the Treasurer,
Pittsburgh, January 23, 1871.

NOTICE TO STOCKHOLDERS—The regular annual meeting of the Stockholders of the Allegheny Valley Railroad Company will be held at the office of the Company, corner of Eleventh and Pike streets, on TUESDAY, February 21st, 1871, at 11 o'clock, A. M.

ja24:m5 J HN BALLANTINE, Sec'y.

OFFICE ALLEGHENY BRIDGE COMPANY,
PITTSBURGH, February 4, 1871.

ELECTION NOTICE.—An Election for President, Managers and Officers of the Company for erecting a Bridge over the Allegheny River, opposite Pittsburgh, in the county of Allegheny, will be held at the Toll House, at the south end of the Bridge, on MONDAY, the 6th day of March next, at 2 o'clock P. M.

fe6:m66-M W. ROSEBURG, Treasurer.

CASCADE IRON COMPANY.—Notice is hereby given to all concerned that the first meeting of the Stockholders and Corporators of "The Cascade Iron Company, of Pittsburgh," for organization under the Laws of the State of Michigan, relating to the formation of Corporations for Mining, &c., and for other purposes, will be held on THURSDAY, the 16th day of February, 1871, at 3 o'clock P. M., at the office of said Company, Perry Building, Duquesne Way, Pittsburgh, Pa., for the transaction of such business as may legally come before such meeting.

JOS. KIRKPATRICK,
ANDREW KLOMAN.
PITTSBURGH, PA., Jan. 31, 1871. fe1:m67

OFFICERS, SOLDIERS, SAILORS AND MARINES who want the 160 ACRES OF CHOICE LAND, or full particulars respecting the same, should purchase "HOMES IN THE WEST," a neat book of over 100 pages, published by B. F. BROWN, Pittsburgh, Pa. It contains something of interest to all who served in the army or navy ninety days or upward; gives a description of Kansas, Minnesota, Nebraska and other leading cities of the West; all the pre-emption laws, &c., &c. Price 50 cents. For sale at Room No. 4, New GAZETTE Building, or sent to any address on receipt of price and stamp.

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PROFESSIONAL NOTICE.

Drs. Jordan & Davieson,

Principals of the Institution of Anatomy 807 Chestnut street, Philadelphia, Lecturers on Anatomy, Physiology and Science, inform their friends and patients that they have opened a Branch Office for the practice of their profession at 198 PENN ST., Pittsburgh, Pa., where one of the firm may be confidentially consulted for a limited period more especially in all those cases of diseases and debility, for the treatment of which they are so justly celebrated. It is too well known that hundreds, nay thousands, suffer from the effects of early indiscretion, and seek in vain for relief. For none but the educated Physician, who has made these subjects a specialty is likely to succeed in restoring the patient to health and strength.

To all such, Drs. JORDAN and DAVIESON offer certain and speedy relief, and undertake no cases but those in which they are able to guarantee a safe, certain, and permanent cure. Their important Medical Work may be had from their office, 198 Penn street, on receipt of 25c.; and also as usual from their head establishment, 1023 Filbert street, Philadelphia. Hours of consultation, from 10 A. M. till 2 P. M., and from 5 P. M. till 8 P. M.

Every case is strictly confidential. no30:167

DIVIDENDS.

CLEVELAND AND PITTSBURGH RAILROAD,
Office of Secretary and Treasurer,
CLEVELAND, O., January 24th, 1871.

DIVIDEND NOTICE.—The Board of Directors of this Company have declared a Dividend of TWO AND ONE-HALF (2½) PER CENT. on the Capital Stock, free from Government tax, payable on and after February 10th. Stockholders registered in New York will be paid at the office of the Farmers' Loan and Trust Co., 26 Exchange Place.

The Transfer Books will be closed on the 30th inst. and re-opened February 11th.

G. A. INGERSOLL,
ja25:m9 Secretary.

OFFICE OF THE GERMANIA SAVINGS BANK,
No. 72 Wood street.

INTEREST NOTICE.—The Depositors of this Bank are hereby notified that interest at the rate of Six per cent. per annum has been credited up to their respective accounts on the first of January, and is now due and payable.

If said Interest is not withdrawn during this month, it will be added to their deposits and bear interest from the above date.

ja18:m39 C. M. SEIBERT, Treasurer.

AUCTION SALES.

BANK AND INSURANCE STOCK, EAGLE COTTON MILLS, 90 ACRES VALUABLE COAL, FIRST AVENUE PROPERTY &c. &c.

TUESDAY EVENING, February 14, 1871, at 7½ o'clock, will be sold on second floor of McIlwaine's Auction Rooms, 106 Smithfield street,

25 shares Citizens National Bank;
25 shares M. & M. National Bank;
20 shares Peoples' National Bank;
4 shares Mechanics National Bank;
10 shares Tradesmen's National Bank;
10 shares Duquesne Bank;
50 shares Eagle Cotton Mills;
20 shares Monongahela Incline Plane;
5 shares Allegheny Insurance Co.;
5 shares Monongahela Insurance Co.

Also, the three story Brick, No 171 First avenue, second door above Smithfield street, the lot 20 by 80 feet.

Also, 90 acres Valuable Coal in Union township, underlying part of the William Carnahan farm, on Little Saw Mill Run Railroad. This coal is of best quality, easily mined and perfect drainage.

fe11 A. McILWAINE, Auctioneer.

NINETY ACRES VALUABLE COAL, IN UNION TOWNSHIP, ON THE LITTLE SAW MILL RUN RAILROAD.—TUESDAY EVENING, February 14th, at 7½ o'clock, will be sold on the second floor of McIlwaine's Auction Rooms, 106 Smithfield street, about ninety acres of valuable coal in Union township, underlying part of the William Carnahan farm, on Little Saw Mill Run Railroad, adjoining lands of Jno. Carter, deceased, Alexander Carnahan, Snodgrass and others.

The entire body is of best quality coal, easily mined and perfect drainage. Terms, one-third cash, balance in one and two years, with interest.

fe9 A. McILWAINE, Auctioneer.

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R. & W. JENKINSON,

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Tobacco Agency,

SEGARS

Fine Cut Chewing and Smoking Tobaccos,

72 SMITHFIELD STREET Pittsburgh.

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LEGAL.

IN THE COURT OF ALLEGHENY COUNTY, PA., in the matter of the Estate of JOSEPH E. McCABE, deceased.

No. 9, September Term, 1870. Writ of Partition.

To Ann Eliza McCabe, Thompson F. McCabe, Isabella Anderson, John McCabe, Levinia McGill, Mary Brenneman, Levi Brenneman, Wm. Laughlin, Joseph Laughlin, Samuel Laughlin, and Emeline Laughlin:

You are hereby notified that an Inquisition will be held in pursuance of the above mentioned Writ of Partition or valuation on the premises in Scott township, Allegheny county, Pa., on THURSDAY, February 23, 1871, at 11 o'clock, A. M., to make partition to and among the heirs of said deceased in such manner and in such proportions as the laws of this Commonwealth is directed, at which time and place you may attend if you think proper.

HUGH S. FLEMING,
Sheriff.

SHERIFF'S OFFICE, Pittsburgh, Jan. 9, 1870.
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NOTICE.—Whereas, Letters of Administration on the Estate of MARGARET ALEXANDER, late of South Fayette township, deceased, have been duly granted by the Register of Allegheny County to the undersigned, all parties indebted to the said Estate are requested to make payment, and those having claims against the Estate will present them for settlement to

SAMUEL COLLINS, Adm'r,
214 Penn street, Pittsburgh.
January 16, 1871. T

ASSESSMENTS.

IN THE MATTER OF OPENING FORBES STREET, PITTSBURGH.—Notice is hereby given that the report of the Commissioners appointed by the Court of Quarter Sessions in the above case has been confirmed by the Court, and that all persons assessed for benefits are required to pay their assessments within thirty days from this date or liens will be filed for the same, with costs, attorney's fees, &c.

J. F. SLAGLE, City Attorney.
PITTSBURGH, February 9, 1871. fe9

PROPOSALS.

PROPOSALS.—Proposals for the Marble and Stone Flagging of the new High School Building, will be received at the office of CRAIG BROTHERS, 148 Second avenue, until 12 o'clock M., SATURDAY, 11th inst. Plans and specifications can be seen at the office of Messrs. Barr & Moser, No. 4 Sixth street.

By order of the Building Committee.
fe6:m49 T. J. CRAIG, Secretary.

PAVING AND GRADING.—A Party who understands the management of hands wishes to form a partnership in Grading and Paving business with some one who could control some money and manage the financial part of the business. Address "B,"
fe7:m75 GAZETTE Office, Pittsburgh, Pa.

AMUSEMENTS.

PITTSBURGH OPERA HOUSE.

Manager..........................M. W. CANNING.

Second and last week of the brilliant engagement of the Favorite Actor,

Mr. Edwin Adams.

TUESDAY EVENING, February 14th, will be presented, after careful preparation, with New Scenery, Properties and Mechanical Effects, the Celebrated Drama of

ENOCH ARDEN.

Enoch Arden..................Edwin Adams.
Annie Leigh..................Miss Ida Vernon.

Edwin Adams Matinee on Saturday.
Monday, February 20th, Grand English Opera.

TRIMBLE'S VARIETIES.

FRED. AIMS.........................Manager.

TO-NIGHT, the great new sensation, PARIS SURRENDERED AND THE CAN-CAN. By the great New York Blonde Troupe. Also, the great Gymnasts, M'lle Zulerlia and Mons. Ventine.

Last nights Gus Williams. Cool Burgess W. Bray. Varieties Greater than ever to-night.

Thursday afternoon, benefit sufferers South Side Fire.

LIBRARY HALL.

Two Concerts

BY THE

CANTATA SOCIETY,

WILL BE GIVEN ON

Tuesday and Thursday Evenings, February 14th and 16th.

Consisting of Choruses, Quartettes, Duetts, Solos, &c., selected from the works of the best composers of classical and popular music.

Seats may be secured at Mellor & Hoene's, No. 53 Fifth avenue, on Saturday, 11th inst., at 9 o'clock, A. M.

Admission........................75 cents.

No extra charge for reserved seats. fe9:m9

MERCANTILE LIBRARY HALL.

Wm. Mason Evans'

DICKENS READINGS,

Monday Evening, February 13, 1871.

LAST APPEARANCE!

DAVID COPPERFIELD and BARDELL vs. PICKWICK.

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THE PILGRIM!

LAST WEEK.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC.

Monday night—Benefit of Avery Mission A. M. E. Church.

Tuesday evening—Centenary M. E. Church.

Wednesday—Matinee at 2:30 P. M. Evening: Benefit of Bakewell Industrial School, connected with the Second Presbyterian Church.

Thursday evening—Young Men's Christian Association.

Saturday—Matinee at 2:30 P. M. and Evening.

J. W. BAIN, Proprietor.

For benefits, apply at once. fe8

SOLDIERS, WIDOWS and ORPHAN'S

Grand Charity Fair,

Under auspices of SHERIDAN POST 88, G. A. R., commencing FEBRUARY 6, 1871, at MILLER & McCULLOUGH'S PARLORS, Diamond, Allegheny. ja27:m81

INSURANCE.

ANDES INSURANCE CO.

OF CINCINNATI, OHIO.

Cash Capital.................$1,000,000 00.

ASSETS, DECEMBER 31, 1870.

Cash on hand and in City Banks	$138,921 93
United States Bonds, 10-40 and 5-20, (par value $182,100 00)	194,974 38
State, City and County Bonds, with accrued interest, (par value $105,364 00)	104,261 90
First Mortgages, Bonds, with accrued interest, (security $1,882,397 00)	630,000 00
December Fire and Marine Premiums in transit	75,000 00
Bills receiv ble (prime)	12,170 75
Call Loans on Railroad Bonds, ($10,000 00)	[illegible]
Balance due from Agents	[illegible]
Supplies, Office Furniture and Fixtures	7,508 15
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